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FORECAST—Moderate to fresh south shifting to west winds, cloudy with light scattered showers. Saturday, moderate south-westerly winds, mostly fair and mild. Sunshine yesterday, 9 hours.

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Refugees Bringing New Industries To Canada

Toys, Artificial Flowers And Glove-making Come With Craftsmen 2,000 a Month

By NORMAN M. MacLEOD

OTTAWA—Although no policy on refugee immigration has been either actually embraced or formally announced by the Cabinet, the gates have opened slightly under the pressure of individual cases and the Dominion stands assured of a movement of industries and farm communities to Canada.

Arrangements have been made for establishing in Ontario a \$1,000,000 toy industry. It will be under German-Jewish auspices and may well be the first step towards transferring to Canada the pre-eminence in the field of toy manufacturing traditionally held by Germany.

Similarly, permission has been given by the federal authorities to transplant to the Dominion a glove industry from Czechoslovakia. The gloves which will be manufactured are of an expensive type, which never have been made in Canada and, upon the representations of the industry here, their manufacture was not being contemplated at any time in the immediate future. The move to bring the Czechoslovakian craftsmen to the country was sponsored by a group of glove importers.

ARYAN AGRICULTURISTS
From Czechoslovakia an artificial flower industry is scheduled to take up its home in the Dominion in the near future. It will be small to start with—probably only about a dozen Czechoslovakian workers—but its possibilities of expansion will be substantial.

Arrangements have been made to receive a number of agriculturists from the Sudeten area which Czechoslovakia recently ceded to Germany. These immigrants will be non-German Aryans. Just how many the groups will comprise is uncertain as yet, but the total will be substantial. They will be settled in communities across Canada and the likelihood is that some will be located in British Columbia, some on the prairies, and some possibly in Ontario.

FINANCIAL BACKING

The initial phase of the refugee immigration movement is assuming a definite importance in relation to the economic life of the Dominion. One of the features of the movement so far, is the impressive financial guarantees which, from various interested and sympathetic sources, have been secured to back it. In respect to the various projects which the government already has approved, guarantees totaling \$2,500,000 are reported pledged.

Under the individual schemes sanctioned the immigration figures are beginning to rise, after a long period during which the bars against newcomers into the Dominion have been almost unscalable. Now, however, new arrivals are entering Canada at a rate of approximately 2,000 monthly.

EASE TAX BURDEN

More and more the need for additional population to carry the railway, financial and governmental burden of the people is being stressed in thoughtful Par-

New Aid Bills Cover B.C. Farms and Fisheries

If Parliament Votes Underwriting of Prices Province Will Have Pool Opportunities

By BRUCE HUTCHISON
Vancouver Sun Special

OTTAWA—The Canadian Government's revolutionary new agricultural policy, the underwriting of prices to all farmers if they pool their crops, has been drafted to cover all the farm products of British Columbia as well as British Columbia fish.

This writer learned today the new program will take the form of three pieces of legislation, and the three provides that the government may, if it wishes, guarantee minimum prices not only to grain but to every product of Canadian farms and fisheries.

It will be for British Columbia apple growers, dairymen, potato producers, other farmers and fishermen to persuade the Dominion that they should enjoy the same kind of protection as the grain growers of the prairies. That they and farmers all over Canada will apply for this protection is certain. That the federal government can refuse it seems impossible.

LENGTHY DEBATE

The three agricultural bills, representing the most drastic step ever taken to control and rationalize Canada's chief industry, will have to run the gauntlet of serious criticism in Parliament before they are adopted. Probably they will be threshed out in a committee of the House of Commons.

Of course the attempt to rationalize agriculture cannot end at guaranteeing a price to the producer. The natural result of guaranteed prices, if they are high enough to satisfy the farmer, will be to encourage him to plant larger crops. Then the government would find itself guaranteeing an increasing crop at an increasing cost to the taxpayers.

The natural brake against this process as attempted in the United States, is limitation of planting. If Canada is going in for government price guarantees probably in the end it can hardly escape other complicated and difficult controls along the general line of United States policy.

The first step in the new program is the pooling of products.

U.S. Planes in China's Forces
Japanese Report Growing Number Disclosed By Battle

SHANGHAI (AP)—Japanese reports compiled after a check of pilots who took part in a raid on Lanchow, northwest China, Thursday, indicate U.S.-made planes now make up a considerable part of the Chinese air force.

The pilots reported several single-seat fighting planes made their first appearance in defence of Lanchow, Kansu provincial capital and a strategic point on the Russian-Chinese supply route. They said Curtiss Hawks and Soviet-built planes also opposed them in dogfights over Lanchow and that they had spotted Douglas bombers on an airfield which they bombed.

More than 50 of the Chinese planes were shot down or destroyed on the ground, the Japanese said. The Chinese said six of the 20 raiding planes were shot down and that the bomb attack did no damage.

liament Hill circles, and the attitude of the present Liberal Ministry in seizing upon the existing European situation to secure suitable and responsible immigrants is likely to emerge as one of the activities of the current period for which the government will claim high commendation in the politically active months to come.

Big U.S. Defence Supplies

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States Senate military committee approved unanimously today a bill sponsored by Senator E. B. Thomas, Democrat, Utah, authorizing expenditure of \$100,000,000 during the next four years for acquisition of strategic raw materials, many of which must be imported, some from Canada. Senator Thomas said a board, consisting of the Secretaries of War, Navy, the Interior and State, would be authorized to designate the strategic materials and would be empowered to encourage the

60 CENTS FOR WHEAT

The first farm bill now drafted proposes that prairie farmers shall be permanently guaranteed a price of 60 to 62 cents a bushel for wheat if they sell through a pool. This year is declared an emergency period with a guarantee of 80 cents.

Once the principle of price guarantee is established Parliament can always raise the permanent rate under pressure. But the figure of 60 cents now proposed suggests the government will never guarantee farmers a fancy price, but only enough to let them get by. To the man on the land even that is of enormous value, for at present he may be unable sometimes to sell his crop at all. In future he will be assured of at least a sale at some price if he pools.

The second bill provides for a system of bonusing wheat farmers if they get no crops. A complicated arrangement has been devised on an acreage basis with a limit by which no farmer can get more than \$200 in bonus in any one year, however large his farm and however small his crop. The bonus will be worked out on a sliding scale, depending on the farmer's acreage and yield.

WIDENING FIELD

The next step obviously will be to apply the bonus for crop failure to other products besides wheat. Farmers all over the country will insist on this.

The taxpayer may have to pay high for the new program in years of low world farm prices, but this simply means the ordinary consumer will be asked to recognize that farmers as a class must get a greater share of the nation's income, if not directly through prices then through the treasury. The difference will come either way from the public.

HINES CASE SOON IN JURY'S HANDS

Dewey Declares in New York Court Accused Is Traitor to Democracy

NEW YORK (AP)—District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey today denounced James J. Hines as "a corrupt politician" as he reviewed the state's case against the Tammany district leader and asked for his conviction on policy racket conspiracy charges.

Dewey, addressing the jury as the trial neared its end, struck back at the defence contention that Hines was the victim of a "frame-up" at the hands of the policy mob he is charged with protecting.

The prosecutor held that Lloyd Paul Stryker, Hines' lawyer, had tried to create the impression that "a corrupt politician accused of protecting criminals" was a symbol of democracy and a part in the fight to preserve that democracy.

"That, I resent as a dirty business," Dewey said. "That was a willful and filthy attempt to arouse pity for an essential traitor to democracy."

Fall Follows Firmness

VANCOUVER (CP)—Police today held on a drunkenness charge a man who said he had stepped from the window of his hotel bedroom 50 feet above the ground rather than yield to the temptation of having another drink.

He fell 10 feet into a net of telephone wires, from which he was removed by firemen, apparently uninjured.

French Chamber Votes for Franco Recognition

By 323 to 261 Deputies Approve Daladier's Course

Declaration Monday

PARIS (AP)—The Chamber of Deputies today gave Premier Daladier a vote of confidence, supporting his decision to ask the cabinet next Monday to grant full recognition to the Nationalist government of Spain. The vote was 323 to 261.

The test, which M. Daladier had made a question of confidence, was on the government's demand interpellations by the leftist People's Front in regard to recognizing Gen. Franco's regime be put off indefinitely.

It followed M. Daladier's statement to the chamber "I intend to propose to the cabinet on Monday to recognize legally the government of Gen. Franco."

The way thus was cleared formally for recognition by the French cabinet Monday, with announcement of the action to be made jointly with Britain, whose cabinet was understood already to have decided on recognition.

The chamber's vote was expected to whip the few dissenting members of the Daladier cabinet into line when the Premier puts the question before them.

SECURITY QUESTION

The Premier based his appeal to the chamber on two prime conventions:

1. That the cause of government Spain was hopeless.

2. That France's national security demanded that Franco be recognized.

"I am persuaded," he told the chamber, "that this very year peace will have to be vigilantly defended."

Premier Daladier acknowledged he was following Great Britain's lead.

"We were officially advised February 22 by the British government," he said, "that the hour had come and it was necessary not to let it pass without recognizing Gen. Franco."

"I believe I am in a position to state England is resolved to recognize the government of Gen. Franco next week."

Miners Work as Dispute Discussed

CUMBERLAND, B.C. (CP)—Striking coal miners who stopped work in two mines and at shipping stages last Monday returned to work last night after voting at a 24-hour closed meeting to end the walkout they started because the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited had refused transportation to a few of their number.

A delegation of the United Mine Workers of America to which the miners belong was scheduled to meet company officials today. Union officials advised the men to return to work pending settlement of their grievances.

BOGUS CONSTABLE HELD FOR TRIAL

F. A. Hendrickson, Former Vancouverite, Charges J. White in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A man giving the name of John White was arrested today on a complaint charging kidnapping for the purpose of extortion, obtained by F. A. Hendrickson, retired Vancouver, B.C. merchant.

Hendrickson told police White "arrested" him on a false morals charge and then demanded a \$3,000 bond to keep from going to jail.

Deputy District Attorney Harold Shire issued the complaint, on which White faces possible imprisonment if convicted.

White was picked up as a suspicious character by police an hour or so after his false arrest of Hendrickson. A fake police badge was found on his person, police revealed today. Then he was taken to the nightly police "show-up."

In the "audience" was Hendrickson, who in the meantime, had informed officers of the kidnapping and extortion attempt. He recognized White.

Shire said two of White's accomplices were still at large.

DALADIER PROPOSES CLOSER ENTENTE

British Commons and French Chamber Might Deliberate Together

PARIS (AP)—Premier Daladier, opening the speech he made to the Chamber of Deputies today, greeted two Liberal members of the British Parliament—Walter Roberts and Sir Francis Acland—who sat in on the debate which led up to a vote approving recognition of General Franco in Spain.



PREMIER DALADIER

The Premier drew laughter and applause from all sections with his greeting to the Britons: "I salute them as the harbingers of the day when the Chamber and Commons will be able to deliberate together, now at Paris and now at London, and when cabinet meetings will be held now under Chamberlain's presidency and now mine."

City Loan May Be Declined

Application On Power Project Asks More Money Than Act Allows

The provincial government's reply to Victoria's application for a \$450,000 loan at 2 per cent to go into the electric light business, probably will not be made until the end of next week when Premier Pattullo returns to the city, but it was learned today the cabinet may be forced to reject it.

Aside from various other factors, such as the urgent nature of the undertaking and the possibility of it being self-liquidating, there is a provision in the Ottawa act governing this type of loan which limits Victoria to an amount of not more than \$200,000. Thus whatever other reasons there may be for granting the application this fact alone is likely to block it.

Other points that will be considered are whether the city can claim an urgent need for the project when it can apply to the Public Utilities Commission for a reduction in rates, and also the city's power to borrow under its refunding scheme.

Japanese Occupy Port of Hainan

HONGKONG (AP)—Japanese officers here reported Friday that a Japanese infantry column led by tanks had occupied the town of Chinglan, only port on the east coast of Hainan Island.

Possession of Chinglan, only a few miles east of Kachek, Hainan's principal city, extended Japanese control 60 miles southward from Hoihow, where the first Japanese force landed February 10.

(In response to representations Tokyo has given assurances that the occupation of Hainan is intended only for military purposes. The island, off the south coast of China, lies close to French Indo-China and across routes linking Hongkong and Singapore.)

WAR CHANCES FADE

NEW YORK (AP)—The British market, ordinarily more sensitive than our own to world conditions, is counting the threat of European war a diminishing one. Standard Facts and Forecasts says today. "As a straw in the wind this may be counted as definitely favorable."

3 Ceremonies for Air Mail Opening

Two-day Observance of New Service Planned; Building Radio Station at Esquimalt

Three separate ceremonies spread over two days are being planned to mark the start of the trans-Canada air mail service in and out of Victoria next week.

Arrangements were discussed this morning at a joint meeting of the air committee of the City Council and the Junior Chamber of Commerce under the chairmanship of Thomas Sturgess of the latter body.

The meeting followed the arrival from Vancouver of a Canadian Airways plane carrying Walter Gilbert, superintendent of the company's Pacific Coast division; Jack Carson, Vancouver traffic manager; L. F. Mayne, radio installation engineer of the Canadian Marconi Company, and Pilot Molly Small. Canadian Airways have been awarded the contract for the Victoria-Vancouver run by Trans-Canada Airlines.

It is expected Mayor Lyle Telford and Alderman Halford Wilson, chairman of the Vancouver City Council's airport committee, will fly here on Wednesday on the first plane to come over, and will be officially greeted by Mayor Andrew McGavin and members of the City Council.

The first air mail for the east will leave the Esquimalt slip at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon, and a ceremony is planned for that occasion.

The first incoming air mail will arrive at 12:30 on Thursday. Civic heads will meet the plane at the slip, after which the mail will be carried in a post office truck to the general post office with a motorcycle escort provided by city and municipal police.

A civic luncheon will be held at the Dominion Hotel.

The two committees will communicate with the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and urge the inclusion of a Victoria feature in the broadcast which will mark the inauguration of the service.

Big British Army Increase Urged

LONDON (CP-Havas)—A resolution calling on the British government to increase the strength of the army was tabled in the House of Commons today by a group of Conservative members.

The resolution, to be discussed soon, reads:

"That this House, being anxious to enlarge the deterrence against aggression, to defend all British territories, and to demonstrate our ability and intention to bring immediate aid to our ally France if she is a victim of attack, urges His Majesty's government 'greatly to increase the strength of the British army.'"

Great German Tax On Single Persons

BERLIN (AP)—Unmarried men and women in Germany are hit hard by a revision of the income tax law, published today, enabling the government to take up to 55 per cent of their taxable incomes. It increases the existing tax on bachelors and unmarried working women by 12 1/2 per cent provided the increase does not make their total tax payments exceed 55 per cent of income.

As an inducement to have children the law provides childless couples married five years with an income exceeding 1,800 marks (\$720) annually can be taxed up to 45 per cent of their income.

3 Executions at Berlin

BERLIN (AP)—Three men were executed at dawn today as traitors, convicted of spying for an unidentified foreign state.

The three were Adolf Erbrich, 34, Bruno Labisch, 24, and Wilhelm Mroczek, 36.

Hungary Rounds Up Nazis

BUDAPEST (AP)—The government undertook today to smash the Hungarians, the leading Nazi Party of Hungary and at the same time formally joined Germany, Italy and Japan in their accord against international Communism.

The anti-Communist pact was signed by Foreign Minister Stephen Csaiky at a Foreign Office ceremony.

The Hungarian Nazi Party was named as a danger to public safety and party property confiscated.

Nationwide raids on party officers started at 6 a.m. In Budapest 600 of the capital's force of 670 detectives took part in raids. Party headquarters in Andrássy Street were surrounded. Tons of Nazi literature were seized and taken to the political police bureau in 12 vans. Scores of

trans-Canada's overnight mail service on Wednesday evening.

DETAILS OF SERVICE

The committees heard technical details of the Victoria-Vancouver service from Mr. Gilbert this morning.

For the greater part of March the mail and passengers will be carried by a seven-place Fairchild single-engine monoplane, he said.

Delivery of a twin-engine De Havilland Rapide eight-passenger machine is expected late in the month. The plane will be flown from Montreal to Vancouver on wheels and skis, and will then be fitted with floats for the Victoria service.

A radio station is being established at the Esquimalt slip and will be in constant touch with Vancouver and with the plane while in flight. The company's office will be located at the station.

Passenger and express traffic will be carried on the mail service and on an extra morning flight daily. Neither the rates nor the schedule for the latter flight have yet been fixed, although it is expected the plane will leave Vancouver about 9 and depart from Victoria on the return trip about 10:30.

Mr. Gilbert said the Rapide was an exceptionally comfortable plane with complete silence in the cabin and exceptional visibility. It was also very safe, being capable of flying at an altitude of 3,500 feet at service speed on one engine. Rapide machines are used extensively by Imperial Airways on feeder services.

Final details for the service were left by the joint committees in the hands of Mr. Sturgess, Capt. Norman Foster, secretary of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Alderman Archie Willis, chairman of the City Council airport committee.

SHIPS GO TO AID SINKING SEALERS

Two Vessels Battle Storm on Atlantic; Norwegians in Distress

NEW YORK (AP)—Two trans-Atlantic ships today churned their way through heavy seas, snow and a westerly gale to the rescue of two Norwegian sealers, Nuka and Saltalangen, sinking in the North Atlantic.

The Mackay Radio said the American Scantic liner Scapenn reported the weather had slowed it down to four knots in its effort to reach the sinking craft 270 miles away. The ordinary speed of the Scapenn, en route from New York to Gothenburg, Sweden, is 15 knots.

The Mormac Sun, a freighter bound from Copenhagen to Boston, also turned off its course in response to distress calls from the sealing ships. It was about 335 miles away.

The Scapenn reported to line offices here the wind was of such velocity it had great difficulty holding a course.

The nearest land was Cape Farewell, Greenland, 300 miles to the east.

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LATER IN SUMMER

During the summer months, as the days grow longer, the east-bound service from Victoria will probably be set back to a later hour, with a corresponding gain in the time of closing the mail at the post office. The flight between Victoria and Vancouver is by contact, not by instrument, and will have to be made in daylight.

Postmaster Gardiner indicated this morning he was considering changes in the collection times at mail boxes in the business district to fit in more closely with the new air service, and that possibly a limited number of boxes might be specially marked for the purpose.

It is understood Trans-Canada's next step will be the establishment of air mail service between Montreal and the Maritimes, but no official details are yet ready.

"We want to get the people of Victoria air mail-minded," said Mr. Clarke this morning. "The service will give a remarkable saving over other means of communication."

"Business firms should time their postings to fit in with the closing time at the post office, otherwise they will lose the benefits of the new service."

Day's Saving in Airmail Service After March 1

Letters Posted in Victoria at 3.15 p.m. In Montreal Next Day

Postal Director Here

*Victoria will be brought one business day nearer to eastern Canada and many United States cities when the new Trans-Canada air mail service is inaugurated March 1.

On that date Canadian Airways will start operating a plane between Victoria and Vancouver under contract to Trans-Canada Airlines, and the Trans-Canada service between Vancouver and the east will be considerably speeded. The Victoria-Vancouver plane will also connect with the regular flights from Vancouver to Seattle.

G. H. Clarke, district director of postal services with offices in Vancouver, arrived here this morning to discuss details of the new service with Postmaster G. H. Gardiner.

After March 1 letters bearing airmail stamps and posted in Victoria by 3.15 in the afternoon will be delivered as follows:

In Winnipeg, Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Edmonton and Calgary, by the first delivery the next morning.

In Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa: early the next afternoon.

In Halifax on the afternoon of the second day.

In New York and other points in the eastern United States where there is main-line air service, the next afternoon.

In San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego by the breakfast-time delivery the next morning.

Similar savings in time will be made on letters arriving from the east after March 2. It is stressed that only the eastbound service starts March 1, with the first westbound mail shipment on the new schedules arriving here the following day.

AT PRESENT RATES
Airmail for points in eastern Canada will continue to be carried at the rate of six cents for the first ounce and five cents for each extra ounce, and mail for the United States at a flat rate of six cents an ounce.

The post office's new cheaper special delivery service will be in well with the speeded airmail schedules.

After March 1 the charge for special delivery will be 16 cents, so that a one-ounce letter carrying 16 cents in stamps will be speeded to the recipient within a few minutes of the arrival of the mail plane.

This service will be more advantageous at points where the air mail arrives after the regular evening delivery time than in the big eastern cities. It is only applicable in cities having a mail carrier service.

The daily mail plane will leave Vancouver at 11:50 and land at Esquimalt at 12:30 daily. It will leave Esquimalt at 4 in the afternoon and reach Vancouver at 4:40.

The westbound Trans-Canada plane will arrive in Vancouver at 11:50 in the morning and the eastbound plane will leave at 6:45 in the evening. The plane for Seattle leaves Vancouver at 6:15 in the evening.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA 8 a.m. today—The barometer is high off Vancouver Island and relatively low over northern British Columbia. The weather has become cloudy with rain on the north coast, and it is milder throughout the interior. It has been moderately cold with snow flurries on the prairies.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.30; temperature, 54; min. 36; max. 52; wind, 12 miles E.; cloud, 50.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.84; temperature, 54; min. 36; max. 52; wind, 12 miles E.; cloud, 50.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, 54; min. 36; max. 52; wind, 12 miles E.; cloud, 50.

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Divorce for Beerys

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)—After being wed nearly 15 years, Wallace Beery and his second wife, the former Arieta Gillman, have agreed on an "amicable" divorce, the actor said today, adding Mrs. Beery would leave, probably next Monday, for Reno.

"We aren't even hiring a lawyer," said Beery. "We have agreed that our daughter, Carol Ann, will spend six months of the year with each of us."

Beery's first wife was Gloria Swanson. They were married in 1916 and divorced two years later.

Iran Royal Wedding

TEHERAN, Iran (AP)—Crown Prince Mohammed Reza Pahlavi, 19-year-old heir of Reza Khan Pahlavi, Shah of Iran, left today for Cairo to bring back his bride-to-be, 16-year-old Princess Fawzia, sister of Egypt's King Farouk.

The marriage contract will be signed at Cairo March 16 in an elaborate ritual. A religious ceremony at Teheran is scheduled for April 21.

Many Reservists Of German Army Called to Colors

If Moves Continue Mobilization Almost On Full Scale in Month
British Writer Reports

MANCHESTER, Eng. (CP-Havas)—The diplomatic correspondent of the Manchester Guardian (Liberal), wrote today that while there has been no general mobilization in Germany, abnormally large numbers of reservists have been called and if this continues what will amount to general mobilization will have occurred within a month.

"A considerable number of German troops have been dispatched to Italian possessions in Africa," the article continued.

"Consignments of German war materials are being sent to Italy the whole time, with Genoa as their destination."

"From there they are presumably forwarded to Libya. Four large consignments of German heavy artillery were sent to Italy during a period of 10 days recently."

"Uniforms and equipment for the troops are being made in great quantities. A German engineer firm is producing barracks in sections. These too are being sent to Genoa. Maps of Kenya, Tanganyika and Abyssinia (Ethiopia) are being pre-

Chamberlain Party Wins By-election

HARROGATE (CP)—The government of the west riding of Yorkshire after a by-election necessitated by the death of Major J. W. Hills.

The government's majority, however, was cut from 21,688 in the 1935 general election to 10,044. Christopher York, Conservative, polled 23,257 votes in yesterday's poll, against 10,213 for R. J. Hall, Labor. In 1935 Major Hills polled 30,894 against 9,116 for Mr. Hall.

The constituency is predominantly agricultural and appointment of a new Minister of Agriculture, Sir Reginald Dorman-Smith, rallied farmers' support of the government.

The voting leaves only one vacancy in the House of Commons, Batley and Morley, caused by the death January 21 of William Brooke, Labor. Voting in that constituency will take place March 9.

Ripon was fifth successive by-election won by the government since the reverse it suffered in Bridgewater last November when Vernon Bartlett, critic of the government's foreign policy, was returned as an Independent.

12 French Miners Killed

MONCEAUX-MINES, France (AP)—Twelve men were killed and 13 seriously injured today in a coalmine explosion 120 feet underground.

pared for German corps and divisional staffs. Most of these maps are for the use of airmen."

Japanese Watch U.S. Senate Vote

Officials Not Commenting On House's Rejection Of Guam Defence Plan

TOKIO (AP)—The Japanese press Friday gave prominence to news of the defeat in the United States House of Representatives of a project to increase the defenses of the island of Guam.

Japanese naval officials, however, withheld comment awaiting action on that part of President Roosevelt's \$552,000,000 defense plan in the United States Senate.

A spokesman merely recalled a previous official statement that Japan regarded the Guam proposal as "not important strategically, but an unfriendly gesture."

Guam lies east of the Philippines and south of Japan.

In the House in Washington yesterday a proposed \$5,000,000 authorization for construction on the island was slashed from the naval bill after legislators had voiced repeated warnings that the project would be an act so provocative to Japan that war might follow.

The vote was 205 to 168. The Democratic majority in the chamber split on the issue. Sixty-four Democrats joined 138 Republicans, two Progressives and one Farmer-Laborite against the bill. Voting in favor of it were 152 Democrats, 15 Republicans and one American Labor Party man.

The rest of the bill, authorizing \$48,800,000 for a series of air bases in the Pacific, Alaska and Continental United States, then was passed by the lop-sided vote of 368 to 4.

HEPBURN URGES DEBT CONVERSION

Back From Australia, Ontario Premier Wants Public Bond Interest Cut

TORONTO (CP)—Premier M. F. Hepburn returned to Ontario today rested and refreshed by a two-month trip to Australia, announced he was not contemplating retirement "for the present."

The Premier also said he had returned home with a "trunkful" of ideas gleaned during his stay in the Commonwealth, among which was a strengthened conviction public debt conversion is the "only thing" to save Canada from economic bankruptcy. His proposals for Canada's economic betterment will be discussed with his cabinet before being made public.

He expressed annoyance with what he indicated was over-emphasis on the state of his health and reports of his imminent retirement from politics. It was the need of a rest that compelled the Premier to make the trip to Australia to investigate economic conditions in that Dominion.

"I feel rested," said Mr. Hepburn. "I have reduced my weight by 16 pounds as the doctors ordered and my blood pressure has been reduced to 190. (It was 250 when he left just before the end of 1938). I am certainly not contemplating retirement at present and I shall lead the House through the coming session."

Asked whether he would lead the Liberal Party in the next provincial election, due in 1942 or 1943, the Premier said "that remains for decision in the future."

Judged in the light of his association with "courageous leaders" in Australia, Mr. Hepburn said Canada's present federal government is "worse" than he thought it was before he left.

The results of the economic program in Australia were a "revelation" to the Premier, who said he probably would submit to the Legislature at a coming session a resolution urging the Dominion Government to adopt economic measures similar to those employed in Australia.

"It is the only thing to save us and the general public must be educated to the realization they must accept a lower interest rate on government bonds," he said. "They must realize that with the reduction of interest rates on government borrowings, general interest rates would go lower and business would receive new impetus."

Any plan of debt conversion must be national in scope as the provinces "could accomplish nothing independently."

Australia was going ahead, because it has "courageous leadership." Australians "see the obvious and do what is necessary without regard for the political consequences."

FRANCO TO KEEP BIG STANDING ARMY

By LARRY ALLEN Associated Press Foreign Staff

BURGOS, Spain—Gen. Franco, looking beyond the Spanish civil war, plans to wield a powerful army, navy and air force to maintain a "place in the sun," and to become a strong power in the Mediterranean.

The nationalist leader already has warned other countries Spain must be taken into consideration in any settlement of Mediterranean issues.

Franco is expected to have an army of nearly 1,000,000 men ready for any emergency immediately after the civil war ends and Franco takes it for granted the end will be soon and he will be victorious.

The ruler of nationalist Spain also has made clear he wants a strong navy to back up his recent declaration to the effect Spain no longer would be a "pawn" in Mediterranean politics.

He also has mustered an air force which may number nearly 1,000 planes by the end of the war.

The Franco regime has made plain that leaders of the Madrid Valencia forces accused of murder or treason must face trial. A definite declaration to this effect was given to Sir Robert Hodgson, British representative here, who has been urging clemency for the Madrid leaders.

On the Prairies

GUNMAN POSES AS INSPECTOR

WINNIPEG (CP)—In a daylight robbery a young gunman posing as a radio license inspector obtained \$21 late yesterday from Mrs. A. J. Brice in her Croydon Avenue home.

"Good day madam, I'm from the radio license department," the bandit greeted Mrs. Brice when she opened the door. He then stepped inside and produced a gun.

Mrs. Brice, wife of Lieut. Col. A. J. Brice, was forced to hand over her purse. It was Winnipeg's 14th robbery in 12 days.

First Gold Brick

EDMONTON — A. E. Kippe, consulting engineer of the Negus Gold Mine at Yellowknife, N.W.T., was en route to Toronto yesterday after mailing the first gold brick-poured at the company's Yellowknife mill to the company's head office. The brick weighed 50 pounds and was valued at approximately \$16,000.

Trapping Opposed

CALGARY (CP)—The Calgary Fish and Game Association yesterday forwarded a resolution protesting the Alberta Fish and Game League's recommendation that 1,000 Hungarian partridges be trapped in Alberta under permit from the Alberta game branch, said President V. A. Newhall.

He advised the House that "this parliament and those who prize it" should face the realities of the present situation and proceed without further delay with "consideration of the weighty domestic problems that confront us."

Tax Fuel Oils

REGINA (CP)—All distillates and diesel fuel oils used in Saskatchewan for other than agricultural purposes will be subject to the 7 cents gasoline tax by virtue of amendments to the Fuel Petroleum Act 1938, now before the legislature.

New Alberta Hat

MEDICINE HAT, Alta. (CP)—Between 30 and 40 men will receive employment with the opening of a plant here by Kitchi Gama Products Limited, of Fort Arthur, Ont. The lakehead company has purchased a building here formerly occupied by the Tabor Candy Company.

Scrap Iron Cargo Delayed at Astoria

ASTORIA, Ore. (AP)—With banners pleas for assistance in preventing Japan's "slaughter of innocent Chinese," a group of Chinese school children held back two gangs of longshoremen assigned today to load scrap iron aboard the Japanese freighter Norway Maru.

The freighter arrived here several days ago to load logs and 21 cars of scrap iron. Since its arrival, adult Chinese and some school children have picketed the vessel, but today was the first mass demonstration. There was no violence.

The sober-faced Chinese children, bearing banners and signs, marched endlessly before the freighter's pier and longshoremen, accepting the demonstration as a picket line, refused to pass it.

MANCHUKUO JOINS AXIS

HSINKING, Manchukuo (AP)—Manchukuo signed an anti-Communist protocol today, thereby joining the anti-Communist front created by Germany, Italy and Japan.

Call for Lower Prices for Prairies

OTTAWA (CP)—Long days of debate are yet in prospect before the House of Commons puts its final approval on the new Canada-United States trade agreement, but already some members are expressing impatience to get on with other business. Such expressions coming from independent groups and a little straight-talking to the government from a Saskatchewan Liberal featured the treaty debate yesterday.

The outspoken one was Dr. Harry R. Fleming, member for Humboldt, who admitted he did not want an election in 1939 and strongly advised the Prime Minister against an early appeal to the electorate for which he could see neither "rhyme nor reason."

Dr. Fleming said the Liberal Party had won virtually all by-elections in recent years and there was no question of it having the confidence of the people.

However, in Dr. Fleming's opinion, the government had some work to do before an election. It should "mash the international combines which, he said, were holding up farm implement and gasoline prices. If action was not taken to reduce these prices and bring to the people some of the abundance Canada could produce there would be a revolt when the government faced a test at the polls.

He expressed regret nothing in the new trade agreement dealt with this problem.

"The Minister of Agriculture has told us there were international combines, and we should smash them," he said. "Well, I say to the government that if we cannot smash those international combines and reduce prices of farm implements and gasoline, the government should be smashed."

"I say to the Liberal government sitting here for the fourth session of this Parliament that if they do not do something for the people of western Canada by reducing the prices of farm implements and gasoline, and increasing the prices of primary products, there will be such a revolt when the government goes to the country."

At this point the Speaker, Hon. Pierre Casgrain, interrupted to say Dr. Fleming's 40 minutes were up, and the Humboldt member took his seat without finishing his sentence.

M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F., Rose-town-Biggar, Sask., and J. A. Marshall thought it was about time to pass the Canada-United States trade treaty and get on with other business. Nearly all that had been said for or against it had been said.

He supported the treaty because it would help good relations between nations, but did not regard it as an important move to the solution of Canadian economic problems. The government should get some real purchasing power into the hands of the people by promoting useful public works.

He advised the House that "this parliament and those who prize it" should face the realities of the present situation and proceed without further delay with "consideration of the weighty domestic problems that confront us."

Democracy, he declared, was on trial and would be replaced by another system unless it produced results.

"There are threats from many quarters today," he said. "All across the country one can find incipient Fascism as well as Fascism of the blatant European type."

"And then we have the growing propaganda for a so-called national government which in my opinion, if formed, would be formed of those who desire solely to protect the vested interests of the country."

"I believe democracy is quite capable not only of producing abundance but of distributing that abundance to the people of this country."

Baltimore Sees Big New Clipper

BALTIMORE, Md. (AP)—The 74-passenger Yankee clipper destined for trans-Atlantic service, alighted in Chesapeake Bay at 12:07 p.m., P.S.T., today after a flight from New Orleans.

Some 4,000 persons watched at the airport as the Seattle Boeing-built Pan-American airship circled to the water a few minutes after the smaller Bermuda clipper had arrived on a scheduled flight from Bermuda.

Limits for Police

LONDON (CP)—The House of Lords yesterday gave second reading without division to a bill limiting to espionage cases the special powers of interrogation under the Official Secrets Act. The measure is designed to curb use of the act by police to force newspapermen to reveal their sources of information.

Anti-German Parade Staged in Warsaw

Protest Against Treatment Of Polish Students in Free City of Danzig

WARSAW (AP)—Polish university students, singing and shouting through Warsaw's streets, paraded today in an anti-German demonstration protesting alleged discrimination against Polish polytechnic students in the Free City of Danzig.

Police blocked them from approaching the German embassy. The students as they marched chanted "Down with Germans!" "Down with Danzig!" "We demand respect for Polish rights in Danzig!"

Singing Poland's anti-German pre-war hymn, "Rota," the students massed around the War Office and demanded Poland compel Danzig "to behave." The "Rota" goes: "No German will spit any longer in our faces nor Germanize our children. Our threshold shall be our fortresses! We are the nation, the Polish people."

(The Free City of Danzig, nominally under rule by a League of Nations high commissioner, is dominated by Nazis closely linked with Germany. Part of pre-war Germany, Danzig was set up as a free city at the head of the Polish Corridor by the Versailles Treaty.)

Polish sources charged German students exhibited a poster in a Danzig coffee house recently reading:

"Entry to dogs and Poles prohibited."

The sign, they said, was displayed when a group of Polish students approached the cafe. The incident has caused a series of protests in the Polish press.

PROTEST SENT

Free City of Danzig (AP)—The government of the Free City of Danzig protested today to the Polish diplomatic representative over a resolution by Polish students in the Free City.

The resolution declared Poland alone had the right to determine the fate of the Free City and of the mouth of the Vistula River.

Move to Save Cathedral Grove

Gray Proposes C.P.R. Reserve Virgin Island Timber Stand

A new move to have Cathedral Grove, the beautiful virgin stand of big Douglas fir at Cameron Lake, Vancouver Island, preserved for all time as a park area, will be made shortly by the provincial government.

Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands, who will go east in April, plans to take up the question with C.P.R. officials. He will suggest the C.P.R. reserve the area as a tourist park.

Cathedral Grove is in the E. and N. land belt and offers itself as a travel attraction for the C.P.R., Mr. Gray believes.

For years the preservation of the grove has been an issue on the island. It is the last big stand of virgin timber of easy access to the public. Each time the logging of the big trees has been threatened public agitation has been for the government or some interests to preserve it.

While no final action has ever been taken the government has reached an understanding that it will be notified before any logging is done. Mr. Gray now hopes to have the question settled for good and the timber reserved as a park.

Vancouver Man Rescued From Sand

VANCOUVER (CP)—Sam Shaw, city workman, was pulled from a mass of smothering sand which buried him up to his chin for nearly two hours today with his unbroken spectacles still in place and an earnest desire to go on with his work.

Shaw, elderly employee at the city yards, was working in a bunker of heavy screenings when the mixture began to slide. Before he could call his way to the edge of the pit he was trapped up to his chin in sand and in danger of being drawn into a chute.

2 More B.C. Police At Golden Gate Fair

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two British Columbia police constables, C. G. Halsey-Brandt of Alert Bay and Terrance Stewart of Prince Rupert, have been named to join four other constables on duty at the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco, it was announced today.

The constables will guard valuable exhibits and answer the questions of visitors. The four already on duty are Corporal C. W. Barwis and Constables Thomas Smith, S. W. Birrell and Elmer Holm.

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Kidnapper Put to Death in Florida

RAIFORD, Fla. (AP)—Franklin Pierce McCall was put to death in the electric chair today for the fatal kidnapping of five-year-old James Bailey Cash at Princeton, Fla., last May.

McCall was executed just four days short of nine months from the time he kidnapped the tow-headed lad.

Admitting in court that he alone had stolen "Skogie" and collected \$10,000 ransom from the father, McCall insisted he had not wanted to harm his victim and had smothered him accidentally.

McCall went to the chair calmly after he had read aloud a handwritten manuscript in which he reasserted his innocence of crime. He compared his case to that of Christ.

"Judicial-Isacariot sold Christ for 30 pieces of silver," the young minister's son read from the paper. "It would be interesting to know how much someone got in this case."

He said he did not believe in capital punishment because "it does not deter from crime."

McCall's pretty young wife visited him this morning.

STOCKHOLM (CP-Havas)—The Swedish Parliament yesterday voted \$500,000 crowns (\$125,000) for the relief of foreign refugees. This money may be used for the care of refugees in Sweden, to send them to other countries, or to give them occupational training.

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1-lb. package, each **10c**
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Sugar, crisp. **15c**
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RED RIVER CEREAL, 5-lb. pkg. each **19c**
BRAN—Ogilvie's, for delicious muffins; 5-lb. bag, each **19c**
PANCAKE FLOUR—Aunt Jemima's, makes light-as-air pancakes. Package, each **16c**
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Aunt Jemima's, serve striped with bacon. Package, each **19c**
SYRUP—Nalley's, brandy, fast, 15-oz. bottle, each **13c**
CHOCOLATE—HARBO, All our usual 5c varieties **6 for 25c**
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Nazi Mission to Rule Europe

By LOUISE L. LOCHNER
Associated Press Staff
Correspondent

BERLIN—"Germany has the mission to rule over all Europe. That has been her role for a thousand years, barring only about a century. That role she is destined to resume under the leadership of National Socialism."

The man who spoke so grandiloquently is the forefront of Nazi editors. He belongs to the chosen few summoned to Munich to spend an evening with Der Fuehrer recently in connection with the annual November "putsch" exercises.

He represents the younger generation—the pugnacious youths who clubbed together in nationalistic "bunds" in the 20's before they were drawn into the Hitler movement.

VIEWS REFLECTED

Whether he spoke authoritatively or was indulging merely in wishful thinking makes little difference. The fact is that on many an occasion his views—startling at the time—reflected what was being prepared in highest circles.

It may be illuminating to record the conversation between the younger National Socialist following of Adolf Hitler and two members of the Berlin staff of the Associated Press.

It started over a casual question whether the annexation of Memel was contemplated now that the Lithuanians are making every concession of autonomy that the Memellanders demand.

(Memel, a territory of 1,099 square miles with a population of 151,960, was detached from Germany by the Versailles Treaty. According to the Memel convention, the territory including the busy port of Memel, constituted a unit under Lithuanian sovereignty but with a large measure of local autonomy.)

"Of course we want Memel and Lithuania, too," the editor replied without a moment's hesitation. "We have never made any secret of that."

"But the Lithuanians are fulfilling the terms of the Memel statute to the letter," his opposite numbers interposed.

NO CONCERN OF GERMANY

"Memel statute?" was the reply. "Of what concern is the Memel statute to us? We never signed it. It concerns solely the Lithuanians and the great powers that guaranteed it."

"But during the recent campaign for the Memel Landtag the demands of the Memellanders centred about the carrying out

of the Memel statute," he was reminded.

With a derogatory gesture the editor swept this observation aside as he remarked, "before elections things always look different."

"But by what right do you claim Lithuania?"

"By the right of the strong and the able," the editor replied. His jaw snapped determinedly. "Germany always has ruled Europe, except only for a brief period. She now has the right to do so again."

"Even when there were two Germanys—the Deutsche Reich and the Austro-Hungarian Empire—it was in fact Germany ruling Europe. The Czechs, the Croats, the Slovaks, the Ruthenians—all were ruled by the German element."

FATHERLAND COMES FIRST

"And it is the duty of every German, wherever he may be, to make the other peoples play according to the German fiddle."

The two A.P. staff members pointed out the difficulty then for foreigners to believe the admission to Germans outside of the Reich, as proclaimed by the Federation of Germans living abroad, to be loyal citizens of the state in which they happen to live.

"There's no contradiction in that," the editor contended. "Of course, blood comes first, and a German must always remember to be a German before he is anything else."

"But he should also be a loyal citizen in the country of his adoption. That is, as concerns Europe, his duty is to insist that the country in which he lives shall do nothing contrary to German interests."

"Then a Transylvanian German, for instance, who is a citizen of Roumania, must think first of German interests?" The two others asked.

"Why certainly," was his rather surprised answer.

"Roumania as the less important nation must dovetail her policies into those of the Greater Reich, and only as she does so does the Transylvanian German owe the Roumanian Government loyalty."

Objections that European nations might not like to knuckle under to Germany were met by a derisive shrug.

"They'll fare well economically," was the rejoinder. "They can sell their products to 80,000,000 Germans. They can have local and cultural autonomy. They needn't worry about foreign policy, for Germany will take care of that for them. Then why shouldn't they be happy?"

Harvard Laboratory Closed to Fascists

NEW YORK (AP)—Closing of his laboratory to visits by citizens of totalitarian states was announced yesterday by Dr. P. W. Bridgman, Harvard physicist.

Making it more difficult for totalitarian states to get scientific information which they might misuse is one of the reasons given by Dr. Bridgman for his unprecedented action.

His laboratory at Harvard has been one of the lodestones of the scientific world.

Work for Many More On British Defences

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain yesterday turned down a suggestion in the House of Commons that a royal commission or a select committee of Parliament should investigate the problem of unemployment.

Answering a number of questions, the Prime Minister declared the problem of the youth unemployed was under special examination, and that it was hoped "it will be found possible to provide employment for them on some of the necessary civil defence work."

Bren Contract Inquiry

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons public account committee will open its inquiry into the Bren gun contract next Tuesday. W. A. Fraser, Liberal, Northumberland, Ont., chairman, stated yesterday the first meeting would take the form of a discussion of the procedure the inquiry would follow. As soon as a decision had been reached, the committee probably would adjourn for a week in order to provide opportunity to call witnesses.

War On Warble Flies

CHILLIWACK, B.C. (CP)—Harold W. German, chairman of the agricultural committee of the Chilliwack Board of Trade, and Robert G. Sutton, district agriculturalist, state an organized campaign against the warble fly pest will be started February 28.

Approximately 75 dairymen will co-operate with 15 captains in the first drive to exterminate the warble fly in the upper Fraser Valley. It is expected between 20,000 and 30,000 head of cattle will be treated.

Brig.-Gen. Hepburn Dies in London

LONDON (CP)—Brig.-Gen. W. B. R. Hepburn, 62, former member of the Canadian Parliament, died in his sleep at the Savoy Hotel yesterday. A doctor found he had suffered from heart disease.

Gen. Hepburn, who represented Prince Edward, Ontario, in the Commons as a Conservative from 1911 until 1921, had been in England for a month on a business trip.

In 1907 he became president and general manager of the Ontario and Quebec Navigation Company, which in 1913 was merged with the Canadian Steamship Lines. He also had wide interests in the lumber business.

He went overseas in 1916 as a major and rose to the rank of brigadier-general and was second in command of the Canadian Forestry Corps under Major-Gen. McDougall. In 1918 he was made a commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.

Mr. Hepburn married Bertha E. Wright of San Francisco in 1901.

Mosley Barred From British Radio Series

LONDON (CP)—The British Broadcasting Corporation has rejected a request from the British Union of Fascists that Sir Oswald Mosley, Fascist leader, and other members of the group be permitted to take part in forthcoming series of political talks over BBC facilities.

Sir Stephen Tallents, public relations director of the BBC, yesterday said in reply to the request:

"This series has been arranged to include only the government and the principal opposition parties, and is confined to members of the House of Commons. I regret, therefore, that it is impossible to extend to Sir Oswald Mosley an invitation to take part in it."

BERLIN (AP)—All German Jews in Germany are required under an order published yesterday to turn over their jewels, precious stones and objects in precious metals to the state within two weeks. The order said the articles would be paid for but made no mention of the rate scale to prevail.

U.S. NEUTRALITY URGED BY HOOVER

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Former President Hoover told interviewers last night he thought the United States should maintain a "positive neutrality" in foreign affairs.

"And declaring our sympathy with either side in the European controversy is not neutrality," he added.

Mr. Hoover said he believed the country should be armed as heavily as army and navy officials thought necessary, "but strictly for defence."

Of the German Bund rally earlier this week in New York, he said he thought that "like all other Americans they have their right of free speech," but that he was "not in favor of anything they say."

Informed his name was cheered at the Bund demonstration, he added, with obvious feeling:

"If that's so, and if some Communists meeting should give me a hand, my cup of grief would truly be running over."

The former President said a fifth horseman—intolerant ideologies—was riding with the four horsemen of war, famine, pestilence and death over two-thirds of the people of the world.

Lord Brabourne Dies at Calcutta

CALCUTTA (CP—Havas)—Great Britain lost one of her ablest administrators in the death yesterday at 43 of Baron Brabourne, Governor of Bengal. He underwent an operation last Saturday for removal of an intestinal cancer.

Lord Brabourne, who won the Military Cross in the Great War, was named Governor of Bombay in 1933 and four years later succeeded Sir John Anderson as Governor of Bengal. Last summer he was Acting Viceroy of India during the absence of the Marquess of Linlithgow and had been expected by many eventually to become Viceroy.

Sir Mohamed Zafarullah Kahn, a member of the Viceroy's executive council, declared "he was one of the greatest men of our times."

New Board Members

VANCOUVER (CP)—S. H. Ford of Pitt Meadows and R. A. Coleman of Ladner were elected members of the British Columbia coast vegetable marketing board by balloting of registered mainland producers. It was announced yesterday.

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Aid for British Barley Growers

LONDON (CP)—Sir Reginald Dorman-Smith, Minister of Agriculture, promised in the House of Commons yesterday that additional government assistance for barley and oats farmers would be forthcoming.

Answering a question from Tom Williams, Labor, the minister said that after a review of

the farm situation the government had decided further aid was necessary. He gave no details.

When a long-term policy is finally determined aid will be applied retroactively to the 1938 oats and barley crops. The announcement supersedes the promise of W. S. Morrison, former minister of agriculture, of an increased barley subsidy, which consequently will not be put into effect.

Sir Reginald disclosed it is in-

tended to abolish the restriction of the Agricultural Act of 1937, which does not permit the granting of subsidies to producers of these grains already receiving subsidies for wheat.

NEW HOLLAND DEFENCES

THE HAGUE (CP-Havas)—Defence Minister J. J. C. Van Dijk told the upper chamber yesterday the government would shortly construct fortifications along all Netherlands frontiers.

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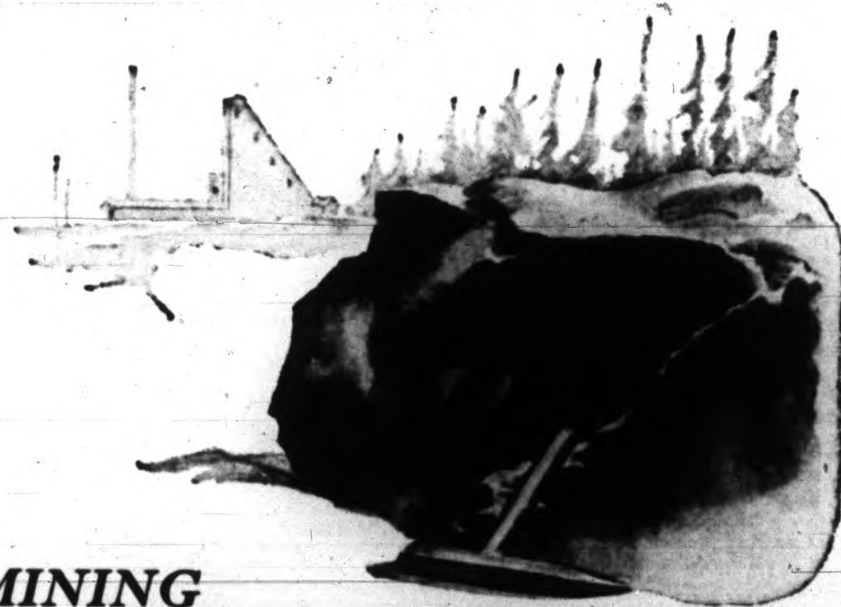
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"Halt! Major Road Ahead!"

FREQUENT AFFIRMATIONS OF THE solidarity of Anglo-French accord have any meaning at all, the heads of the brutalitarian-totalitarian states ought to realize now that a too obvious aggressive move on the part of either, or both, will be met with action that by no stretch of the imagination will resemble "appeasement" of the Munich type. We are presuming that democracy as still practiced by the governments in London and Paris has at last realized that the Rome-Berlin axis remains the symbol of authoritarian blackmail.

The presumption is strengthened by the statement made by Viscount Halifax, Foreign Secretary in the Chamberlain government, to the House of Lords last night—described as "one of the strongest warnings" so far issued to the European troublemakers. In a general way his obvious intention was to impress upon the minds of Reichsfuehrer Hitler and Premier Mussolini that if they are well advised, they will no longer regard Prime Minister Chamberlain's guarantee to help France to defend herself against unwarranted aggression as a harmless platitude. This means that the resources of both countries would be at the disposal of the other if their vital interests should become endangered. So says the Foreign Secretary: "Halt! Major Road Ahead!"

No political party in Great Britain will have any quarrel with this restatement of the course the Chamberlain government would take if French interests were threatened by a third power. The homely parable employed by Viscount Halifax furnishes its own commentary. Berlin and Rome, of course, are at liberty to assess its value as they think fit. What should be clear to Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini—as well as to the rest of the world—is that Great Britain and France, during the last year especially, have permitted totalitarian technique such far-reaching license that not to warn its authors that the danger point is near at hand would be to invite them to "crash the barrier" to find out exactly how low the supply of "appeasement" is running.

It is beside the question to argue that the "Halt! Major Road Ahead!" warning should have been given before the totalitarian states had scored so heavily against the democracies. Nor will any good purpose be served by speculating on what might or might not have happened in Europe if the sign had gone up before Mr. Chamberlain's final flight to Germany last September. It is to the point to suggest, however, that if the British and French governments are now determined to call a halt to all forms of totalitarian aggression, and insist upon the observance of the warning Viscount Halifax sounded in the House of Lords, the peoples of the two countries will not quibble too violently over the armament bills which posterity will have to pay—if it can.

Medals for Seewulf?

IF THE FRENCH PROVERB THAT IT IS better to lose a joke than lose a friend is to be any good to the Germans it will have to be altered to a much more severe form of counsel. Fritz and Gretchen had better make up their minds that it is much better to lose a joke than to lose one's head. For certain comedians and revue artists in Germany have been suspended—if that be the correct term—for the grave offence of making jokes about the Nazi regime.

We do not need to dig far into history to realize that the ancients were wiser in the cultivation of mirth. Even in the dull days of Prussian mediocrity the Electors and Kings had their court jesters as France and Britain had. If the office of Jester-Laureate had survived to Herr Hitler's day it would, doubtless, be little sought after. The joker would have no scope for his work, for Herr Goebbels has a state monopoly of funny stories by virtue of his control of the Propaganda Department.

Nazi enthusiasts, however, may have more wisdom than this anti-laughter decree shows on its surface. For we cannot believe that the German people have lost their sense of humor, and if once a peal of laughter were started who knows but it might rock the whole Nazi regime. Or perhaps there is another explanation. Some of the offending jesters may have read that page in Mr. Shaw's "John Bull's Other Island" in which he says that his method of joking is to tell the truth—"the funniest joke in the world."

Government Sustained

IF THERE HAS BEEN ONE BY-ELECTION which has not caused the Chamberlain government the least apprehension, it was that fought yesterday in the Ripon division of the West Riding of Yorkshire, years ago, held by the present Viscount Halifax, Foreign Secretary, and a Conservative stronghold in which either Liberal or Labor candidate runs merely as a party protest.

The contest was occasioned by the death of Major Rt. Hon. J. W. Hills, who polled 30,804 votes in the general election of 1935 against 8,116 rolled up by the Labor candidate, Mr. R. J. Hall. In yesterday's test, Mr. Christopher York, running as the government's standard-bearer, polled 23,257 votes

against Mr. Hall's 10,213, cutting the Conservative majority from 21,691 to 13,044.

This enormously reduced margin may suggest to the government that even in its most staunchly-embattled strongholds that strange things may happen at the next general election. Mr. Hall, at least, does not lack hope. He was beaten by Major Hills in 1931 in a straight fight by a vote of 37,808 to 5,125, has doubled his vote in the meantime, while the Conservative tally has dropped by 14,641. It should be noted, incidentally, that in the general elections of 1918, 1922, 1923, and 1924, Rt. Hon. E. F. L. Wood, afterwards Lord Irwin, Viceroy of India, and now Lord Halifax, was returned unopposed. In a three-cornered contest in 1929—the election in which Labor scored its great victory—Major Hills had a majority over his two opponents combined of 4,292.

Ripon is the fifth by-election won by the government since Mr. Vernon Bartlett administered its striking defeat in Bridgwater—all with heavily-reduced majorities.

Canada's Oil

UNTIL A VERY FEW YEARS AGO OIL production in Canada was a more or less negligible factor in the Dominion's economy. In 1938, however, the output had soared to 6,870,000 barrels, or an increase of 133 per cent over the 2,944,000 total for the preceding year. Value of the 1938 output, incidentally, was \$11,514,000, or more than double the 1937 figure of \$5,399,353. And recent discoveries indicate that the rate of gain may be, if anything, quickened this year.

The importance of this sensationally-rapid development in Canada of a new major oil field is political as well as economic. British Empire oil fields produce only a little more than 2 per cent of the world's total. Britain herself has to import, or buy from sources outside the Empire, 95 per cent of her oil needs. In the event of war, Business Week (New York) reminds us, it obviously would be of tremendous advantage to Britain to have within the Empire an important oil supply—a supply that could be shipped with almost equal facility by way of the Atlantic or the Pacific, would be practically immune to air attack, and would lessen dependence on the Mediterranean route.

To date, most of this country's crude oil production has been limited to a relatively small area in Alberta. But other producing areas already are being developed in various parts of the province, and across the boundary line in Saskatchewan. Any of these may prove to be a "second Turner Valley." Prime Minister Pattullo also is hopeful that British Columbia will "strike oil" in a big way in the not distant future.

So far, Alberta oil has been marketed only in the sparsely settled western provinces. A pipe line carries oil from Turner Valley to nearby Calgary, where some is refined and the balance transported to refineries in other western cities. As the valley output increased, the railroads slashed rates for transporting oil in the prairie region. The "Social Credit" government of Alberta takes a 10 per cent royalty on all oil produced.

At present, Turner Valley wells supply more than 80 per cent of the oil requirements in the prairie provinces, and are capable of supplying more than a third of Canada's domestic requirements. Recent discoveries have substantially raised potential production in the field above the 30,000 barrel daily output during the peak period last fall. And the end, by no means, is yet.

Providence to bar Soviet film, says a headline in a movie trade publication. Oh, well, the Soviets barred Providence, didn't they?

Fascists now must call Benito "Duce," leader, never "Capo," chief. Juliet, fortunately, is dead, with her old idea that a rose by any other name would smell as sweet.

ON NOT KNOWING CANADIAN HISTORY

From Toronto Saturday Night

It is with some regret that we have noted a tendency on the part of Mr. George McCullagh, the well-known radio broadcaster, to identify himself with the Toronto Globe and Mail, the old and widely-influential morning newspaper of Ontario. He is a young man, and an earnest man, and the public makes allowances for both his youth and his earnestness. But the Globe and Mail is not, or at any rate should not be, young in the sense of being inexperienced or impulsive or inadequately informed; it cannot make up for these things, as Mr. McCullagh can, by personal charm and obvious sincerity.

It is all right for Mr. McCullagh to advocate the abolition of the provincial legislatures; it merely shows that the history of Canada has not sunk very deeply into his consciousness. Some 20 years ago there were American writers who thought that France and Germany, Italy and Turkey, Sweden and Finland, Greece and Roumania and Poland, ought to surrender their various sovereignties and enter into a United States of Europe just as the 12 colonies entered into the United States of America. It was a nice idea, and if Europe had had no history it might have been a workable idea; but Europe has a history, and these American writers did not know or understand it. Canada has a history; and we do not like to see the Globe and Mail exhibiting such ignorance of that history as to propose the wiping out of the provincial legislative power. For Mr. McCullagh, a private citizen and a broadcaster, to propose it can do little harm and may even do good, by drawing attention to the extent to which the provincial sovereignty has been exaggerated and misused at the expense of the common national interest. For a great, old and serious newspaper to do so is different. A newspaper is an institution; a broadcaster, as yet, is not. A newspaper has an editor; a broadcaster has not.

As I See It

By ELMORE PHILPOTT

THE LEAGUE IN ECLIPSE

THE PRESENT predicament of the League of Nations may best be described as an eclipse. With the same feeling of awe that attends the witnessing of the temporary shutting off of the light from the sun the people have seen the swift blotting out of the light of the hope of peace that man had raised at Geneva.

No one even pretends any longer that the League as such will be able to lift a finger to protect in advance any nation which is threatened in the near future. The membership in the League itself is being swiftly reduced by the conquest of its member states, and the enforced defection of others to the anti-League axis. Ethiopia has been conquered, and the League has registered its recognition of that fact. Spain has gone the same way. Over 200,000,000 Chinese people live under the rule of Japanese bayonets. None of the League members has, as yet, even carried out its solemn pledges to the extent of refusing to sell the Japanese the steel to make the bayonets. It is a sorry spectacle. Yet no one in the peace-seeking part of the world has seriously suggested winding up the affairs of the League. The reason is obvious.

Thinking people everywhere know that what has happened at Geneva is an eclipse. The light of the League will shine again just as soon as are removed the obstructions between it and the millions upon millions of people throughout the world who yearn for stable peace. Nor is it true to say that the chief obstructions are the outright enemies—the governments of Germany, Italy and Japan. The first League of Nations has failed to date not because of its enemies so much as because of its supposed friends. It was, indeed, sold out by us—that is the English-speaking world.

The best of all indications that the League will survive in some form or other is the knowledge that if war is forced upon Britain and France their attitude towards the League will change overnight. They will attempt to use the League to line up on the side of the democratic powers all of the lesser states which still retain the membership at Geneva. Some of the lesser states will no doubt say no. They will remind France and Britain of their own attitude towards Ethiopia, Spain and China. But many others will give support to the democracies. They will do so for the same reason that the United States will do so—because there will be general knowledge that if France and Britain disappear as first-class powers the dictators will subdue the rest of the world by easy stages.

In the end the western world will be forced back to the position it began to surrender about 1920. It will be forced to set up world peace machinery because the only alternative is outright disaster. The present question is whether that decision will be made before or after a conflict almost certain to be more deadly than that of 1914-1918.

WHO KILLED COCK ROBIN?

NO DOUBT the historians of future generations will have plenty of material for arguments about the responsibility for the failure of the first League of Nations. Many will blame the United States for fathering the institution against the wishes of bewildered Old Mother Europe, who already had so many children that she didn't know what to do. When Uncle Sam walked out of Geneva, leaving his baby on the doorstep, he certainly caused complications. But his defenders of the future will no doubt point out that it was disgust with the other parts of the Versailles Treaty, and not the League provision itself, which induced the American people to attempt once again to crawl into their historic shell of isolation. In the twenties France used the League as a machine for keeping the beaten nations in subjection. In the thirties the new crop of aggressors have gradually demonstrated to the world that a League of Nations without the means to enforce peace is just an illusion—just an imaginary substitute for the real thing.

No League of Nations can succeed until the individual nations have taken away from them the power to upset the peace of the world. Nations must surrender, willingly or unwillingly, the right to make war and the physical means to make war.

Unless all signs are wrong this decision is going to be forced upon the world in the very near future. For the Fascists believe in world law and order—the kind of peace that the Roman Empire imposed. The Communists also foresee peace in their world scheme of things. It is only the democracies who lag and who fail to realize clearly, as yet, that world law and order is coming and that the only question is whether it is going to be the Peace of Fascism, the Peace of Communism, or the Peace of Freedom.

GEMS FROM LIFE'S SCRAPBOOK

THE WAY

"In just the degree that one improves mentally, in just that degree will one improve physically."—E. G. Phillips.

"The right way wins the right of way, even the way of Truth and Love whereby all our debts are paid, mankind blessed, and God glorified."—Mary Baker Eddy.

"Do the truth ye know, and you shall learn the truth ye need to know."—G. MacDonald.

"If aught obstruct thy course, yet stand not still. But wind about till thou has topp'd the hill."—Denham.

"When the outlook is not good, try the uplook."—Book of Good Cheer.

A hick town is a place where nobody is allowed to be a nuisance or disturb the peace, except dogs.

Navaho Economics

Much Like Our Own

By BRUCE CATTON

IT SEEMS THAT the Navaho Indians are going broke because of their riches. And somehow this topsy-turvy world of ours ought to be able to draw a useful little moral or two out of this odd situation.

Among the Navahos, ownership of a horse is the one infallible sign of wealth and social position. The horse needn't amount to much as a beast of burden; he can be many, spavined, swayed-backed and generally run down, but if he is just an indisputable, unmistakable horse he fills the bill.

So the Navaho who has made his mark on the reservation range land must acquire and maintain a herd of horses. He may not care to ride on them or hitch them to wagons; so long as he owns them he is happy. And the young buck who goes a-courting finds his path much smoother if he can present his sweetheart's parents with a string of 10 or a dozen ponies.

Because of all of this, the Navahos range are supporting at least 40,000 more horses than the tribe actually needs. Furthermore, these horses are eating grass and other forage which might as well be supporting vast flocks of sheep—possession of which would actually enrich the Indians in the sense that it would mean more food, more cash money and better living quarters.

Indian Commissioner John Collier hopes to persuade the Navahos to reduce the number of their horses and increase the size of their sheep flocks. But until he can persuade them that "a worthless horse is not an asset but rather a liability" he is likely to make scant headway.

IT IS EASY enough for the white world to look down with amused contempt on the red man who is so ignorant that he doesn't know real wealth when he sees it. Yet perhaps the same sort of confusion, under some other guise, is commoner than we generally realize.

The innocent Navaho, for instance, might wonder why we look on it as a national calamity every time our farmers manage to produce a more than usually ample crop. Foodstuffs have been the most tangible and universally accepted form of wealth since the first hunter lugged home the first arrow-pierced deer; if we consider ourselves unfortunate because we have an abundance, the Navaho could hardly be blamed for being a bit puzzled.

Nor is it likely that he could quite understand our difficulties with "over production" in other lines. For here, again, the things we produce are wealth—wealth pure and simple. If large numbers of us must do without them because we are producing too many of them, the situation is hardly one which would commend white man's economics to the red man.

Somewhat similar is the complaint that we have put too much money into production machinery during the last decade or so. This machinery produces wealth; why should our ability to produce more wealth get us into trouble?

When Mr. Collier undertakes to explain the ins and outs of wealth to the Navahos, perhaps he had best confine himself strictly to horses and sheep.

UNDER THIRTY

From Daily Mirror (London)

We are promised a Youth at Parliament which will meet in a few weeks' time, to discuss most things after the manner of the elderly Parliament at Westminster.

Thus we may get to know what the under thirties think. For they are to be allowed to express themselves freely, without fear of fouling their own nests.

Nevertheless, certain elder statesmen may intervene oratorically.

The over sixties and not far off seventies may address the under thirties and tell youth what it ought to think, even if youth isn't thinking it.

Allow us to predict what youth will be told by old age: "To maintain national unity. (That is, to do as it's told by the aged.) To be ready to die for (That is, to be ready to die for) our great traditions. (That is, to believe in muddlers.) To follow the lead from above. (That is, to wander in a fog, looking for the leadership that doesn't exist.)"

Youth, however, has its own ideas about what it wants to do, about what causes it wishes to serve, about what humbugs it doesn't intend to serve, and about what poppycock it doesn't believe.

So be careful, over sixties, before you talk rot to under thirties. They have had some before—youth though they may be.

Parallel Thoughts

Now he that planneth and he that watereth are one; and every man shall receive his own reward according to his own labor.—1 Corinthians 3:8.

Blessings ever wait on virtuous deeds, and though a late, a sure reward succeeds.—Congreve.

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THE ORIGIN OF THE BULLDOG

From Our Dumb Animals

A writer in The Animal World tells us that "the bulldog has its origin in the barbarous custom of bull-baiting, which can be traced in England as far back as 1209. In this year of Grace, the Earl of Warren, Lord Stamford, stood on the walls of his castle, Stamford, Lincolnshire, watching with amusement the fighting of two bulls in his castle grounds. The noise attracted some butcher's dogs which, disregarding the superior size and strength of the two bulls, started chasing them right through the streets of the town.

"The earl, highly amused, was so pleased with the courage of the dogs that he immediately presented the meadow where the fight had taken place as a common to the butchers of the town, on condition that they should find a mad bull once a year, six weeks before Christmas, in order to preserve that amusing sport for ever."

"Bull-baiting thus became the national sport. Czar Nicholas I, when still Czarévitch, was taken to a bull fight when he visited England. That disgusting sport was not made illegal by act of Parliament until 1835."

THIS SECURITY BUSINESS

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The Rev. Dr. E. G. Homrighausen, a professor at Princeton Theological Seminary, told a congregation that we must beware of earthly security, for, he said, when we become secure we are apt to depend on ourselves too much. There might be something added to this form of reasoning. For one thing, when we fail to have earthly security, we are apt to depend too much on others. For another, when we have earthly security, too many others are apt to depend on us. For another, there are millions of church members who would swap earthly security for their chances of unearthly security. For too many—churchgoers and non-churchgoers—it may be said that Heaven is their home. And their only one.

Better English

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "She walked in the room and spoke to the guests." 2. What is the correct pronunciation of "Joliet" (Illinois)? 3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Redolent, redoubtable, redundancy. 4. What does the word "instinctively" mean? 5. What is a word beginning with so that means "dark and gloomy"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "She walked into the room" to denote direction. 2. Pronounce Joliet, o as in no, i as in it, e as in bet, accent first syllable. Redolent. 4. By natural impulse. "Every man feels instinctively that all the beautiful sentiments in the world weigh less than a single lovely action." 5. Sombre.

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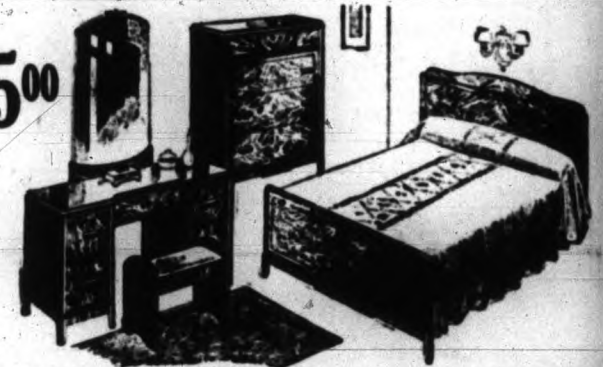
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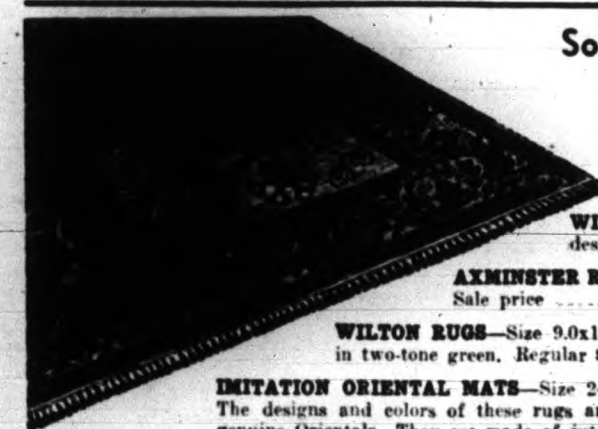


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Re-elect Regent By Acclamation

Re-election of Mrs. Kyrie C. Symons as regent by acclamation was assured by the report presented by Mrs. Wm. Ellis, convener of nominations, at the monthly meeting of the Municipal Chapter I.O.E., yesterday afternoon. The elections will take place at the annual meeting to be held in the S.O.E. Hall on March 23, commencing at 9.45 a.m.

The annual reports of the officers will be received on March 16 at 10.30 a.m. All chapters are asked to send their Girl Guide, Echoes and service and ex-service reports to the conveners as soon as possible.

Mrs. F. F. Beckett, educational secretary, reported that \$1,056 had been granted in bursaries during the year. Mrs. George Mellor told of various families under child welfare work. Mrs.

R. L. Green, films convener, gave her report. Mrs. William Ellis announced that tentative plans for entertaining Her Excellency Lady Tweedmuir were being made. Arrangements connected with the Empire Day service will be in charge of Mrs. Symons and Mrs. C. Wallace Wilson. Congratulations were extended to the Victoria Women's Service Club for the splendid work it has undertaken. Mrs. R. Shanks reported on the fete and gala and expressed appreciation to all who helped and the artists. A standing vote of thanks was made to Mrs. Shanks for her able convener'ship. Mrs. J. E. Flack, standard bearer, reported that all the standards were present at the fete and gala. Mrs. E. O. Weston read the treasurer's report and 12 chapters answered the roll call.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

1. Should a hostess shake hands with her guests when they arrive?
2. Should a host feel as responsible for making guests feel welcome as a hostess?
3. Should a hostess do her part to make her guests' good-byes brief?
4. Should thank-you notes be written for all bon voyage gifts?
5. After spending a week-end with married friends, should the bread-and-butter note be addressed to both host and hostess, or just the hostess?

What would you do if—
You are a hostess and a departing guest says, "I had such a good time."
(a) "Thank you."
(b) "Thank you. I hope you'll come again soon."
(c) "It was so nice having you here?"

- ANSWERS**
1. Yes.
 2. Yes.
 3. Yes. They can't get away gracefully if she keeps holding them back with talk.
 4. Yes.
 5. Either way. Though usually it is written to the hostess. Best "What Would You Say" solution—either (b) or (c).

When the Spaniards first introduced the white potato into Europe in the early 16th century, people were prejudiced against it, believing that it was the original fruit that Eve nibbled in the Garden of Eden.

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A picturesque wedding took place at St. Mary's Church, Chelsea, London, England, recently when Eleana Diana Pantlin, who is well-known on the English stage under the name of Diana Marley, became the bride of John Laird Irvine. The attendants, as shown above, wore poke bonnets and crinolines.

Silver and Pink as Decorations at Wedding

For Marriage of Miss Myra Patton and Jeffrey Baker

Tall silver baskets filled with silver leaves, pale pink carnations and ferns, and standard candelabra holding white cathedral tapers formed the background for the pretty wedding solemnized in St. John's Church last evening at 8.30, when Myra Frances, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Patton, 25 Cook Street, became the bride of Mr. Jeffrey Baker, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baker, 2024 Stanley Avenue. Sprays of silver leaves marked the guest pews. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. G. R. V. Bolster, in the presence of a large congregation. Mr. G. Jennings was at the organ, and the choir was in attendance.

IN GRANDMOTHER'S GOWN

Mr. Patton gave his daughter in marriage. She was a radiant picture in her maternal grandmother's wedding gown with its long, full skirt of cream satin veiled in pearl embroidered net, and the basque bodice, with square neck, and double puffed sleeves, above tight elbow length cuffs, and long flounced train, were of embossed velvet.

The long tulle veil was arranged with a cluster of orange blossoms across her brow, and she carried a Colonial posy of Ophelia roses and freesias.

The bride's aunt, Mrs. D. Tremwen-Ralph, was matron of honor, in a gown of heavy white crepe, with shirred sleeves and a V-neck adorned with a cluster of flowers. A deep girle of lace encircled the waist. Miss Florence Newburn and Miss Myne Baker, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids, in similar frocks of silver lame, falling full from the hips, the basque bodices having square necks and short puff sleeves. They wore bandeaux of fresh violets and rose carnations in their hair. All three attendants carried Colonial bouquets of rose carnations, violets and forget-me-nots, tied with trailing silver ribbon.

Three-year-old Heather Scott was a dainty flower girl in a Kate Greenway frock of white satin, with a bandeau of silver flowers in her hair and carried a tiny posy of pastel flowers. Mr. Samuel Silvertz was best man, and the ushers were Mr. Fred Patton, brother of the bride, and Mr. Alfred Atherton.

RECEPTION HELD

Mr. and Mrs. Patton welcomed a large number of guests at their home after the ceremony. Mrs. Patton wearing a model gown of teal blue crepe and a black straw hat and veil. Receiving with them were the bridegroom's parents, Mrs. Baker, wearing a smart gown of copper velvet and matching hat.

During the reception, the bride and groom stood between tall baskets of silver leaves and pink carnations. Supper was served in the dining-room at a table covered with a lace cloth and centred with the wedding cake. Lighted white tapers, with clusters of silver grapes at their base, and a bridal doll, beautifully dressed and presented to the bride by

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. Geoffrey Tullidge, Moss Street, returned home today after a brief visit to Vancouver.

Miss Joy Phillips, St. David Street, left for Vancouver today on a visit to Miss Florence Richardson.

Mrs. J. R. Howard of Princeton, B.C., has arrived in the city to spend several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Parsons, Manchester Road.

Mrs. Percy Nelson, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. A. B. Cotton, Terrace Avenue, has returned to her home at Knight Inlet.

Miss Betty Chadwick of Victoria has returned to her home after visiting for some days in Seattle, the guest of Miss Mary Elizabeth Clemens.

Miss Alice Pooley, Esquimalt Road, who is visiting in Vancouver with her sister, Mrs. C. S. Sweeney, will return home next week.

Mrs. J. S. A. Bastin of Mount Newton has gone over to Salt Spring Island, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson of Central Settlement for some days.

Mr. Alex McDermott, Grace Manor, the Uplands, who has been visiting at the Paso Robles Hot Springs Hotel, Calif., for the last few weeks, returned home this afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur McCallum of Vancouver has returned to her home on the mainland after visiting in Victoria with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. H. Baird, Foul Bay Road, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Taylor, who were married early this month in Denver, have left for Seattle, where they will make their home, after spending several days at the Empress Hotel.

Miss Carolyn Dickinson of Seattle, who spent some days here, following the departure of her mother last Saturday by Ss. Empress of Japan for the Hawaiian Islands, has returned home.

Mrs. J. W. Morris, who has been visiting in Pasadena, Cal., returned to Victoria today. Mr. and Mrs. Morris have taken up their residence in the Dorchester Apartments, Oak Bay.

Mrs. D. Crawley Ricardo of Vancouver will return on Sunday to the mainland after spending the last few weeks in Victoria with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. W. Ricardo of Vernon, who have been staying with Mrs. H. R. Beaven, Beach Drive, are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pemberton, "Mount Joy," Foul Bay Road.

Mrs. T. E. Lancaster completed the decorative scheme. Mr. and Mrs. Baker left at midnight for Vancouver, and after a tour of the Olympic Peninsula, will make their home in Stadium Park district. For traveling the bride chose a smart black tulle, with a rose-beige coat, with a wolf collar, and a corsage bouquet of gardenias, and black accessories.

Mrs. W. Dudgeon and her daughter, Miss Nona Dudgeon, were Vancouver guests at the wedding.

Mrs. G. P. Clarke and her youngest son, John, sailed from Vancouver yesterday for England, via the Panama Canal, to make their home with her son George. She was accompanied as far as the mainland by her son Harry.

Out-of-town guests at the Usher-Merrick wedding that will take place tomorrow include Mrs. A. L. Ashdown, Mrs. W. H. Dayton and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ashdown, all of Vancouver, and Mrs. E. A. Parry of Seattle, all of whom will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Merrick, the Uplands, while in Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Richardson of Winnipeg, who are spending the winter in Victoria, will also be guests at the wedding.

Members of the 1940 class of the Jubilee Hospital training school held a dinner party in the private dining-room of the Empress Hotel last evening. The school colors were used in the decoration of the attractively-appointed table, at which covers were laid for the special guests, Miss Lena Mitchell, Miss Curry, Miss Riches and Miss Porritt, and the class members: Miss Mary Brydon, Dorothy Chambers, Margaret Crane, Helen Frame, Joyce Goggin, Mary Hamilton, Margaret Hunter, Phyllis Jones, Muriel Kipp, Doris Latorelli, Phyllis Mercer, Christine Molberg, Sheila Murray, Dorothy McKay, Kathleen Skidmore and Marie and Virginia Walker.

Mr. J. K. Hodges entertained at a luncheon in the Princess Charlotte private dining suite at the Empress Hotel today, when his guests included the following members of the committee in charge of the arrangements for the 11th annual Empress Winter Golf tournament: Mr. A. T. Goward, Mr. Harold J. Wilson, Capt. J. V. Perks, Mr. J. Graham Graham, Mr. A. B. Christopher, Mr. J. H. Richardson, Mr. E. N. Horsey, Mr. A. S. G. Musgrave, Mr. E. D. Todd, Mr. Phil E. Taylor, Mr. Alex Watson, Mr. L. D. Rines, Mr. C. Donham, Mr. J. Macfarlane, Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson, Mrs. Chas. W. Pangman and Mrs. H. F. Crowe.

Cathedral Donation Party Attracted Many

The annual donation party under the auspices of the Christ Church Cathedral Senior Branch of the W.A.C.A., was most successful, both socially and financially. Members and friends on arrival were welcomed by Mrs. S. H. Elliott, the honorary president, and Mrs. M. W. Mackenzie, president.

Tea was served in the lounge under the capable convener'ship of Mrs. Bird and Mrs. Dale-Johnson, assisted by Mrs. Caldwell, Mrs. Jenna, Mrs. Vincent, Mrs. Wiles and Miss Altonby. The home-cooking stall was tastefully arranged, and well patronized. Mrs. C. T. Wrightworth, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Thomas being in charge.

After tea the guests were entertained by a delightfully-varied program arranged by Mrs. Hinton.

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Weddings

JONES-ROY

A quiet wedding took place on February 22 at the First United Church, when the Rev. John Bell united in marriage Jeanne Etta Roy, only daughter of Mrs. T. Hick, 1135 McKenzie Street, and the late Mr. G. T. Roy, to Victor Charles, only son of Mrs. J. Jones, 1237 Sunnyside Avenue, and the late Mr. H. Jones.

Given in marriage by her mother, the bride looked charming in a navy tailored suit with accessories in a lighter shade of blue, and wearing a corsage of pink rosebuds, bouvardia and maidenhair fern. She was attended by the mother of the groom. Mr. F. Melhuish acted as best man. After a honeymoon in Seattle the happy couple will reside at Dawson, Y.T.

BRITTON-GORDON

KELOWNA — Daffodils and pussywillows graced First United Church on Tuesday afternoon for the wedding of Euphemia Borland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gordon, and Mr. John Horace Britton of Duncan, V.I., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Britton. The ceremony, which was fully choral, was performed by Rev. Dr. W. W. McPherson at 2.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Gordon, as bridesmaid. Mr. Clement Gordon, brother of the bride, was the groomsmen, and ushering guests to flower-marked pews were Mr. J. Sutherland of Endersby and Mr. J. Fisher of Beaulieu. Mrs. P. Trenwith was the soloist.

For her wedding the bride wore an ensemble of forest-green woolen trimmed with fur. Her accessories were in shade of brown, and in her corsage were golden rosebuds, lily of the valley and white heather. Miss Gordon wore an ensemble in shade of russet, matched with accessories.

A reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony, when guests were received by Mrs. Gordon wearing black crepe and corsage of carnations, assisted by the groom's sister, Miss Jean Britton, who chose capria silk crepe with harmonizing bouquet.

For traveling the bride changed to a frock of brown woolen with russet topcoat, and brown accessories. On returning from their wedding trip in the south, Mr. and Mrs. Britton will reside in Duncan.

MUCILAGE FROM SEAWEED

OSAKA — Chemists of the Osaka Industrial Experimental Laboratory of Japan's ministry of commerce and industry have developed a process for manufacturing mucilage from seaweed, according to an announcement here. An output of 10,000 pounds monthly has already been achieved. While details of the process are secret as yet, washing the seaweed to remove salt is an essential step in the process.

In the glowworm family, only the female of the species is luminous.

Would Register All Seeking For Jobs

Women's Council Hears Suggestions To Handle Problem

Some interesting suggestions for the handling of the unemployment problem, together with a suggestion for the remedying of the inequalities of the Old Age Pension Act, were made to the Local Council of Women at its closing session yesterday afternoon.

UNEMPLOYED REGISTRATION

As a result of research by the study groups under its direction, the economics and taxation committee presented a series of interesting recommendations for the consideration of the council in the thoughtful report presented by its convener, Mrs. J. L. White. After studying the problem of the unemployed, non-resident and migrant, as dealt with in the pamphlet of the Canadian Welfare Council, the committee recommended that in each province a central registration bureau be set up where all unemployed persons would register in order that the federal government would have at all times a complete record of the qualifications and industrial history, such as has been done in England.

With particular regard to the problem of youth, it was further suggested that as each boy or girl leaves school he or she should be required to fill in a registration card giving information as to their education and vocational standing, stating also their future avocation, such a scheme instituting a complete index of the employable youth of the country. It was further recommended that a Guidance Advisory Board be set up in conjunction with the Department of Labor, to advise and aid youth in deciding on their life's career.

OLD AGE PENSIONS

The report expressed its opposition to any large-scale plan of immigration at a time when the unemployment situation was so critical in Canada. Another recommendation dealt with the inequalities of the Old Age Pension Act with regard to married women, noting that a married man coming to the age of 70 is entitled to an old age pension for himself, but until his wife attains the pensionable age both are expected to exist on the one pension. It was recommended that, if a wife be within 10 years of the pensionable age when her husband attains it, she be automatically entitled to the same pension as her husband.

OTHER REPORTS

Mrs. Rose Burns reported for the drama committee, pointing out the recent and significant signs of the renaissance of the theatre. Mrs. Alan Campbell, convener of the committee of peace and arbitration, noted the co-operation which had existed between the International Council of Women and the League of Nations. The committee on public health

reported through Miss A. Creech, V.O.N., in which she spoke of the council's leadership in the organization of the local committee on cancer control.

DECENT FILMS

Reporting as convener of films and magazines committee, Mrs. Wm. McManus told of the improvement in the tone of films generally, and spoke of the results accomplished by the League of Decency in the United States along these lines. Reference was made to the salacious magazines, which were flooding the news-stands, and she told of the steps taken by the Catholic diocese here to launch a "national crusade for good reading." Dr. Jardine, at the close of the report, spoke of the film "Youth Marches On" and its origin and purpose.

RECREATIONAL CLASSES

Activities of the provincial recreational classes were briefly reviewed by Mrs. Hugh Mackenzie, convener of national recreation, in her report. The reason the Women's Council always urged retention of natural beauty was that they recognized man's need of recreation for the spirit as well as the body. Mrs. Mackenzie also reviewed the council's annual efforts to secure protection for the larger parks administered by the Victoria City Council, in which connection she spoke of the consistent campaign that was being carried on to preserve wild flowers from wholesale destruction.

Two observers for the Local Council will attend each session of the Victoria and District Embargo Congress to be held here during the week-end, and report back to the council, those appointed being Mrs. H. F. Hodges, Mrs. J. L. White, Mrs. J. W. Gibson, Mrs. Alan Campbell and Dr. Olga Jardine.

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

Master Keith Litter delighted the gathering with his fresh young voice in the songs, "Cairn Herring" and "The Brownies," accompanied at the piano by Miss Jean Adams.

At the close of the sessions, votes of thanks were passed to Mrs. Bertha Parsons, who ably convenered the teas, Miss Savory, for the flower decorations, the speakers and artists and to the press.

Lodge Princess Alexandra No. 18 and their friends held a very happy party at the home of Mrs. F. G. Bridges, 977 Cowichan Street, on Monday. The evening was spent in cards, singing and games, and a dainty buffet supper served by the hostess. Next meeting of the lodge will be held Thursday, March 2, at 7.30. After the meeting the members will entertain the past presidents.

Old Kentucky
CIGARETTES

Marcia Prior Wins Warm Praise

Miss Marcia Prior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Prior, 1061 St. Patrick Street, is warmly praised for her all-round prowess as a sportswoman in a recent article in the Calgary Herald. After speaking of her candidacy for queen of the 1940 Banff winter carnival, and her golfing ac-

tivities, the item says, in part: "Having invaded Banff winter carnival for the first time, the slender Victoria brunette already has established herself as a potential queen of the snows. Saturday she cleaned up the snowshoe and ski-joring race, especially for the nine western Canadian girls who had been nominated by their various cities in the queen contest."

BONS SNOWSHOES

"She donned snowshoes for the

first time in her life Saturday morning and found them to be liking, winning handsily over Miss Muriel Marshall, Edmonton's "Sweetheart of the Snows," and two other "queens" from the snow country. It has been the same story with her ski-joring, also a new sport for the Victoria girl, and her ski-joring victory, behind the flying heels of a cayuse, stamped her as an all-round sportswoman."

Army Cook in Hospital With Dyspepsia

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — Members of the Royal Canadian Regiment here are wondering just a little about the course given at the army's cookery school, at Kingston, Pte. Harvey Bonner, R.C.R., attended the cookery school, first held for the Canadian army for years. Now he's in the military hospital at Wellesley barracks—with dyspepsia.



Ian Gibson, gifted young dancer, who resided here until his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson, left for Vancouver 18 months ago, has been offered a four-year dancing contract by Leonide Massine, world-famed maitre de ballet of the Ballet Russe of Monte Carlo. The former Victoria boy, now 19, received his first ballet lesson in Victoria at the age of 7, and had appeared frequently in public here. He was given an audition by Massine in Vancouver this week, who was so impressed by his work that the contract was immediately offered, and is being considered by his family. Should the offer be accepted, young Gibson will sail in April for Monte Carlo to join the famous company for rehearsals and a career behind the footlights.

Borstal System Has Proved Its Value, Women Told

'New Haven' Results Described By Its Superintendent

"Don't just look for the bad in a boy who, perhaps through no fault of his own, has fallen into trouble and been apprehended. Look for the good in him. Try and understand his problem, and help him to work out his own salvation. Give him a chance to rehabilitate himself as a decent citizen and you will find that few first offenders, if properly handled, will become habitual criminals."

This sound philosophy, expressed by Mr. Angus McLeod, superintendent of "New Haven," revealed to the Local Council of Women yesterday afternoon the reason for the success of this Borstal institution at Burnaby for the training of youthful delinquents of British Columbia.

In 19 years' experience in prison methods, Mr. McLeod has seen many changes in the penal system. Under the older systems little was done to teach or train youthful offenders while incarcerated, with the result that on coming out of prison they frequently found themselves at a loose end and a prey to evil influences.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING

Today, Mr. McLeod showed, "New Haven" is turning out men who, while ex-convicts, are taught a trade and made to realize what it means to return to their real place in society. In this "school," as the new penal terminology expresses it, the "students" are given the opportunity for training in such practical subjects as electricity, Diesel engineering, farming, placer mining and general education. All these classes are conducted by volunteers from outside, with such excellent results that many of the boys who have left the school are now working in steady jobs and re-establishing themselves in the community.

He told of the opening of "New Haven" in December, 1937, and the steps leading to its establishment, with 20 boys taken from

Oakalla. Today there are 56 in the school.

When a boy enters, his case is thoroughly investigated in order to trace, if possible, the factors contributing to his delinquency. Many of the boys have been handicapped in having no proper homes or parents, and the only way to attain success with them is to handle them with understanding, he continued.

ARE DISCIPLINED

"But do not run away with the idea that they are handled with kid gloves. I believe in discipline and in my own youth I learned the value of discipline," said Mr. McLeod, as he read the stringent rules and regulations in force at "New Haven," infraction of which incurs deprivation of some pay or privilege.

The efforts to help a lad to re-instate himself do not stop when he leaves "New Haven," he noted, as he explained the follow-up work carried on by a specially trained officer. Up to the present there was no follow-up officer on Vancouver Island, and it was suggested that the women might look into this matter.

In describing the steps leading to the establishment of the Borstal experiment in this province, Mr. McLeod spoke of the enthusiastic support which he had received from Mrs. Paul Smith, M.P.P.; Hon. Gordon S. Wismer, K.C., Attorney-General, and Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, and a number of Vancouver friends.

At the close the speaker answered a number of questions, showing the interest evoked by his address.

A meeting of the Comitas Society was held at the home of Miss Pat Holden, St. Patrick Street, on Wednesday evening. The literary program was on Canadian topics of interest. Mrs. A. Leason spoke on "Old World Customs in Quebec and Ontario;" Miss Mildred Baxandall on our foreign settlers; and Miss Barbara Leigh on the Doukhobors. Those present were Mrs. R. C. Newby, Mrs. A. Leason, Mrs. W. Butler, Alma Gurton, Pat Holden, Enid McConnell and Rene McHutchon.

The W.I. Weavers' Guild will hold its monthly meeting on Monday evening at 8 in the headquarters, Union Building, when Miss M. Hill will speak on "Color."

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Clubwomen's News

Notice: Meetings for publication in this column on Saturdays must be written and handed in to the office not later than Friday afternoon.

The King's Daughters' district meeting will be held on Monday, at 2.30 p.m., in the rest room, Hibben-Bone Building.

The provincial executive of the King's Daughters' will meet in Victoria on Saturday, on arrival of the afternoon boat from Vancouver.

Hollywood Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. F. W. Urquhart, 107 Cook Street, on Thursday, March 2; final arrangements for "The Spring Tea," March 10, will be made.

Daughters of England, Lodge Primrose No. 32, will hold their social meeting this evening at 7.30 in the Sons of England Hall, to be followed by a dance, convened by Mrs. E. Buisson.

First Spiritualist Church will hold a silver tea in the S.O.E. Hall, 1216 Broad Street, Saturday afternoon at 2.30. The hostess will be Mrs. Edith Mayell. Crystal and cup readings will be given by Rev. Walter Holder and assistants.

St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church W.A. held a court whist party in the Church Hall Monday night, with seven tables in play. The prize-winners were Mrs. Mullins, Mrs. A. Reed, and Mrs. Allen, Mr. Williams, Mr. G. Silburn and Mr. B. Jacklin. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Benetta, Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Kennedy.

The monthly meeting of the Garden City United Women's Association was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. W. Smith, Canterbury Road. Mrs. A. P. Fryatt presided, and Mrs. T. Raynor led during the devotional period. Arrangements were made for an "international tea" on March 8. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Young, Carey Road, with Mesdames T. Goodwin and Cudby as joint hostesses. Refreshments were served by Mrs. C. Alexander and Mrs. W. Armstrong.

The 25th anniversary of Fairfield United Church lent additional interest to the successful silver tea held in the schoolroom yesterday afternoon by Fairfield W.M.S., which was attended by a large number of members and friends. Mrs. G. G. Green presided over the attractive program.

which included a song by Beverly Hubbard, representing the Baby Band; recitation by Frances Crease of the Mission Band; piano solos by Margaret Hubbard, C.G.I.T.; original poems by Mrs. W. H. Yardley, solos by Mrs. E. Woodward, accompanied by the piano by Mrs. Paul Green; solo and recitation by two Chinese children, and readings by Miss Gardner of the Oriental Home. The tea table, beautifully decorated with spring flowers, was centred with the three-tier cake, made and donated by Mrs. G. Dyson, a charter member. The afternoon closed with the singing of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

Tells of Link Between Canada and Louisiana

The story of the state of Louisiana and of its close ties with French Canada was vividly told to Fair Alliance Française at a meeting in Victoria College last night by Mrs. Reed Paige Clark, wife of the United States consul here and herself born in St. Martinville, La.

The manners and customs of the French folk who settled Acadia and Louisiana—Longfellow's Evangeline—were woven into her story, told in French with a trace of the language of pre-revolutionary France still lingering in it.

The four-day celebration of Mardi Gras in New Orleans had an important place in her lecture, and in a series of slides made from colored and line drawings which were shown by Dr. Kaye Lamb during the evening.



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MUTTON CHOPS, lb. 15¢	T-BONE STEAK, lb. 25¢
LAMB CHOPS, lb. 25¢	T-BONE ROASTS, lb. 25¢
LAMB LEGS, lb. 27¢	SIRLOIN STEAK, lb. 25¢
SHOULDER LAMB, lb. 16¢	STEAK and KIDNEY, lb. 15¢
BREAST LAMB, lb. 15¢	SAUSAGE MEAT, lb. 7¢
LIVER, lb. 10¢	TURKEYS, lb. 25¢
BEEF, lb. 10¢	PORK, lb. 20¢
BOILING CHICKEN, lb. 23¢	TRIPE, 2 lbs. 25¢
	HAMBURGERS, lb. 10¢

BUTTER FIRST-GRADE CREAMERY 28¢ lb. 3 lbs. 82¢	CHEESE Swiss 1-lb. 25¢
EGGS Grade A Large, doz. 27¢	Grade A Med. doz. 25¢
Grade A Pullet, doz. 23¢	

BACON	
Sliced Ayshire, lb. 20¢	Sliced Side Bacon, lb. 25¢
Sliced Back Bacon, lb. 20¢	In the piece, lb. 25¢
Smoked Picnic Shoulders, lb. 19¢	Smoked Cottage Bolls, lb. 25¢
Smoked Bacon Squares, lb. 19¢	Sliced Jowl Bacon, lb. 25¢

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FLOUR MASTER BAKER	
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40-lb. bag \$1.35	
PASTRY FLOUR	
Potterite, 7-lb. bag 21¢	Snowflake, 8-lb. bag 19¢
Wild Rose, 7-lb. bag 29¢	

ROBIN HOOD OATS 12¢ large pail	SALMON Chum, 1/2 lb. 5¢
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SPECIALS	
Yellow Writing Tablets, 10 size, 2 for 15¢	Belita Powders, regular size pail 2¢
Canadian Youth Brushes, regular size, 2 for 10¢	Vi-Ton, 24-in. tin, regular size 75¢
Jergens' Lotion, 5¢ size, with 15¢ Woodbury's Powder	
Westminster Wax Paper, 100-foot roll 19¢	Cotton Work Gloves, 3 Pairs 25¢
Barclay's Halibut Liver Oil Capsules, box of 50 59¢	Vogue Cigarette Tobacco, 1/2-lb. tin, 5¢. New price 55¢
Phillips' Milk of Magnesia Tablets, 5¢ size 39¢	Electric Light Globes, 100-watt guarantee 2 for 19¢
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40-lb. bag \$1.35	
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7-lb. bag 25¢	25-lb. bag 73¢
40-lb. bag \$1.35	
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5¢ cake 5¢	
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SHINGOLA Floor Wax	
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The MILWAUKEE ROAD

NEW RADIO STATION TO BE STATIC FREE

NEW YORK—The world's first static-free, high-powered radio station, operating on the frequency modulation principle developed by Major Edwin H. Armstrong, outstanding radio pioneer, will go into operation here this spring.

Designed to operate on the ultra-short wave length of seven meters or a frequency of 40 megacycles, the new station and receivers able to pick up its signals, automatically reject man-made or nature-caused static. Major Armstrong, who is professor of electrical engineering at Columbia University, said.

The station, W2XMN, will pick up and broadcast programs originating at WQXR, New York's high-fidelity station, it was said. The static-free radio transmitter operates on the principle of introducing a certain characteristic into the radio wave it sends out. Only that wave can be picked up by the special receiver required. Receiving sets enabling owners to pick up this broadcast, as well as regular programs, are already on the market.

KIPLING SOCIETY

"Studies of Kipling's animal characters," a paper given by C. V. Milton before the Victoria Kipling Society, ably illustrated the author's power of characterization.

The speaker pointed to the reality of the animals portrayed. In some of the stories where they were made to talk like humans, they still retained all their animal habits and characteristics. As illustration of his remarks, Mr. Milton read largely from such stories as "The Maltese Cat," "Garn-a Hostage," "The Walking Delegate" and "The Bull That Thought." Kipling's powerful story of the bulling.

The president, A. S. G. Cornwell, pointed out that the two last meetings of the society were good examples of the author's versatility, the former meeting being devoted to stories of Indian life, and the last one to his studies of animals. Yet in spite of the contrasting subjects, the stories were maintained throughout at Kipling's high level of literary style. He also referred to the animals of Kipling's Jungle Book.

Mrs. C. Ladger read the two poems, "The Law of the Jungle" and "The Outgoing." Thanks were

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6:30—March of Time—KOMO, KPO.
7:00—Ambers vs. Arizmendi—KJR, KGO.
8:30—Death Valley—KOMO, KPO.
8:30—Burns and Allen—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
9:00—Circus—KOMO, KPO.
9:00—First Nighter—KNX, KVI, KIRO.
9:30—Jack Haley—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
11:45—Black Chapel—KNX, KVI, KIRO.

News Broadcasts Tonight
5:45—KGO, KNX.
6:30—KOMO, KPO, KJR, KOL.
8:00—CBR, KGO.
9:00—KJR.
10:00—KOMO, KPO, CBR.
10:15—KVI.
10:30—KIRO.
11:00—KGO.
11:45—KOL.
12:00—KNX.

Network Stations
KOMO (1920), KPO (680), KFI (640)—National Red.
KJR (970), KGO (790)—National Blue.
KIRO (710), KNX (1090), KVI (1560)—Columbia.
KOL (1270)—Mutual.
CBR (1100)—Canadian.

From Berlin—KOMO, KPO.
Education Forum—KPO.
In the Music Room—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Recent Hour of the Air—KOL.
Murray Brunner's Orchestra—KOL.
Combined Glee Clubs—KIRO, KVI at 9:15.
Farm Talk—CBR at 9:15.
School Administration—KOL at 9:15.

9:30
Call to Youth—KOMO, KPO.
Farm and Home Hour—KJR, KGO.
Rhodes Light's Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Along Gypsy Trails—CBR.

10
Hiram College A Cappella Choir—KOMO, KPO, CBR.
All Hands on Deck—KNX, KVI.
Calling Stamp Collectors—KOMO, KPO at 10:15.
Toronto Trio—CBR at 10:15.

10:30
Campus Notes—KOMO, KPO.
Ray Kinner's Orchestra—KGO.
BBC Exchange, Models for Modern—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Closing Book Quotations—CBR at 10:45.
Old Country Football Scores—CBR at 10:45.
Metropolitan Opera Presents Massenet's "Manon" in French, with Adele Bayan and Jan Kiepura in the leading roles and Wilfrid Foulstier conducting—KPO, KOMO, CBR at 10:55.

11
Frank Daily's Orchestra—KJR, KGO.
Men Against Death—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Del Courtenay's Orchestra—KJR, KGO.
Buffalo Presents—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Fran Hines—KVI at 11:45.

12
School Administration—KJR.
Merrymakers—KNX.
From London—KOL.
The Power of the KJR—KGO at 12:15.
Estonia Independence Day—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 12:15.

12:30
Al Roth's Orchestra—KGO.
Texas Rangers—KIRO, KNX.
Club Matinee—KJR, KGO.
Chorus Paul, organ—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Flamingo Stakes—KOL, KIRO, KNX, KVI at 1:15.

1:30
Dancepatrons—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 1:45.
Glimmerhaus—KOL at 1:45.

2
Library of Congress—KJR, KGO.
West Price America—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
International House—KOL.
Teach, Mott, Government—KOMO, KPO at 2:15.
Landscape—CBR at 2:15.

2:30
Southwestern Stars—KGO.
Marching's Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Saturday Matinee—CBR.
Drama of Youth—KOL.

3
Kindergarten—KOMO, KPO.
Spanish News—KGO.
New—KIRO, KVI.
Critic's Guide—CBR.
Bob Crosby's Orchestra—KOL.
News—KOMO, KPO, KGO at 3:15.
Lighthouse—KIRO, KVI at 3:15.

3:30
Dance—KOMO.
Rehearsal of the Mounted—KJR, KGO.
Saturday Night Swing Club—KIRO, KNX, KVI, CBR.
Tacoma Times Junior Concert Band—KOL.
Salutem in the News—KOMO, KPO at 3:45.

4
Freddie Martin's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
Message of Israel—KJR, KGO.
Americans at Work—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Personalities I Have Met—CBR.
Bernie Cummins' Orchestra—KOL.
Five Minutes at the Movies—KOMO at 4:45.
Raymond's Orchestra—KOMO at 4:15.
Albert Pratt—CBR at 4:15.
Raymond Gram Swing—KOL at 4:15.

4:30
Lives of Great Men—KOMO, KPO.
Rendezvous with Ricardo—KGO.
Jimmy Davis' Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
The Book Review—CBR.
Red News' Orchestra—KOL.
Dance—KOMO at 4:45.
Ricardo—KJR at 4:45.
Albert Pratt—CBR at 4:45.
American Legion—KOL at 4:45.

5:00
Monitor—KIRO.
5:15—Paul Hiss—KGO.
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Suppressed Patents Reports Sought

WASHINGTON—The American Chemical Society, through a notice to members under the signature of Dr. Charles L. Parsons, secretary, has asked its members to report to the society any cases of patents suppressed to prevent their further development and commercial exploitation.

Referring to recurrent reports of such suppression, Dr. Parsons declares "this matter of the suppression of patents is one of great importance to the people, and if rumors are true, they should be informed thereof."

Suppression of patents has been repeatedly charged in connection with several recent proposals that the United States patent laws be revised to make such a practice impossible and to correct other abuses with which the present patent system is charged.

"Such information," Dr. Parsons states, "to be effective, must of course be accompanied by de-

Oldfield Again Cemetery Head

H. C. Oldfield was re-elected chairman of the Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria at the first meeting of the fiscal year Wednesday night.

Alderman John A. Worthington was again selected vice-chairman and Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, James Adam and Councilor John Oliver were named to the finance committee.

In charge of buildings and grounds will be Mr. Oldfield, Alderman Worthington and Councilor George Austin.

H. G. Allan was returned as secretary.

The balance sheet was presented at the meeting and approved. Authorization was given the investment of sinking fund moneys through the purchase of \$1,000 City of Victoria bonds and \$1,500 Province of British Columbia issues.

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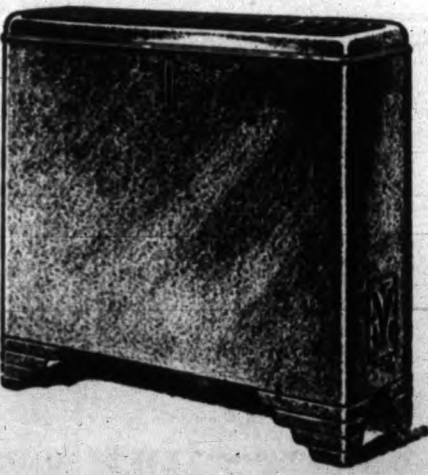
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Victoria Observes Apple Week

King of Fruits Popular Locally

With the object of promoting one of British Columbia's major industries, "Apple Week" will be inaugurated here tomorrow and will continue until March 4.

This campaign for the increased use of Okanagan apples has been instituted by the British Columbia Fruit Board and its main purpose is to call attention to the health-giving qualities of the "King of Fruits."

Not only is the apple delicious to the taste in the raw state, not only can it be cooked in numerous ways to make dainty dishes for the table, but it can also be considered, from the physiological viewpoint, as affording minerals and vitamins that are of vital importance to the human body. It provides a combination of refreshing acids and juices that is highly stimulating to vigor and vitality.

One of the oldest prescriptions for health and beauty is a very simple one: "Eat a ripe apple (followed by a glass of water) just before retiring." Dr. Barnard, former chairman of the food division of the American Chemical Society, says: "An apple eaten in the evening will mechanically and chemically clean the teeth and protect them from the ravages of bacteria during the night, when most dental damage is done."

The apple is one of the safest and most valuable of foods and British Columbia produces the finest apples in the world. Not only for health, but for good

business reasons, should Victorians eat more of them. The Okanagan apple growers are losing a portion of the British preference on their apples. They must increase their sales in other directions—in the prairie market, and in the coast market, in order to make ends meet.

There is a \$50,000,000 investment involved in the Okanagan. Nearly 30,000 people, who buy their supplies on the coast, are affected. Their loss is to some extent Victoria's and Vancouver Island's loss and these regions can help by a little more reciprocity in trade. The lower mainland, Victoria and the island take 350 cars annually of Okanagan apples. That runs to about \$315,000 the southern coast of the province spends for apples from the interior each year. The figure could easily be \$500,000 a year, shippers declare, if Victorians and coast people, generally, ate more of this delicious fruit.

On an average apples contain at least 12 per cent sugar, of the kind predominating in honey, and smaller amounts of other energy-producing compounds such as organic acids. More important still are compounds that assist in the regulation of the body: namely, cellulose, pectins, lignins and pentosans. Minerals are also present in the form of readily-digested organic compounds.

King Apple has other characteristics in its blood of which it

Apple Desserts Deserve a Five-star Rating On Your Menus. So Use Often While They're at Their Best

Chart of Leading Cooking Apples

VARIETY	COLOR	USES
Northern Spy	Yellow striped with red	Baking, pies and sauce.
Yellow Newton	Yellow, some bluish	Baking, pies, sauce, eating
Wagner	Flat, red-checked	Baking and sauce.
Spitzenberg	Bright red	Baking, coddies, eating.
Rome Beauty	Yellow-red, mottled	Pies, baking, sauce.
McIntosh	Rosy red and green	Eating, baking, sauce, pies.
Winesap	Dark red	Baking, sauce.
Delicious	Rich red	Eating, sauce.
Gravenstein	Red with yellow strips	Baking, pies and sauces.
Jonathan		Baking, eating.

*These apples are finished now.

can speak with equally justifiable pride. Its vitamin content compares favorably with that of any other single fruit. It is a good source of vitamins B and G, a fair source of vitamin A, and an excellent source of vitamin C, the important vitamin found in citrus fruits. A diminished consumption of citrus fruits through the substitution of apples from the Okanagan, which supply the valuable vitamins, would materially assist the Canadian growers and result in better local business, shippers declare, because of the increased interchange of trade between the coast and the interior which would ensue.

"Apple Week" Calls for New List of Interesting Recipes

The following recipes will give you several ways to utilize apples in an appetizing and interesting fashion.

APPLE TAPIOCA

- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 cup quick-cooking tapioca
- 2 cups boiling water
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg
- 3 cups sliced, pared, cored apples

Combine the sugar, salt and tapioca in a double boiler. Add the boiling water while stirring and cook over hot water until the tapioca is transparent—about 8 minutes—stirring frequently. Add the nutmeg and apples and pour into a greased, covered 1½-quart baking dish. Bake in a moderate oven of 350 degrees F. for one hour 15 minutes or until the apples are tender. Serve hot or cold with cream. Serves 6.

APPLE BETTY

- 6 medium-sized cooking apples
- 1½ cups moist bread crumbs
- ¼ cup sugar
- 1½ tablespoons cinnamon
- 1½ tablespoons butter
- 3 tablespoons grated orange rind
- ½ cup water

Pare, core and slice apples; place half in casserole. Combine bread crumbs, sugar and cinnamon; sprinkle one half over apples and dot with half the butter. Repeat with remaining apples. Crumbs and butter. Sprinkle with orange rind; add water and cover. Bake in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) for 45 minutes. Serve with hard or foamy sauce. Yield: 6 portions.

APPLE FRITTERS

- 1 cup sifted flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 egg, slightly beaten
- 1 cup milk
- 1 tablespoon shortening
- 2 large tart apples

Pare, core and cut apples crosswise in ¼-inch slices or cut in eighths. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Combine egg, milk and shortening; stir into dry ingredients. Dip each piece of apple in batter and fry in hot fat (370 degrees F.) for 3 to 4 minutes or until golden brown; drain on unglazed paper. Serve with powdered sugar and orange sauce.

APPLE PAN DOWDY

- 5 medium-sized apples
- 3 tablespoons sugar
- 2 tablespoons molasses
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 recipe Drop Baking Powder Biscuits
- 1 cup hot water

Pare and slice apples and, place in casserole; add sugar, molasses, spices, salt and water; cover and bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) for 20 minutes or until apples are soft. Prepare drop biscuit dough and turn out on apple, spreading evenly and bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) for 15 to 20 minutes. Serve hot with hard sauce or lemon sauce. Yield: 6 portions.



The recipe for this delicious Hawaiian Apple Pie is as follows:

HAWAIIAN APPLE PIE

- 1 cup drained, crushed pineapple
- 1 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- Dash of salt
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 2 eggs, separated
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1 baked (9-inch) pie shell
- 4 tablespoons powdered sugar

Mix together fruits, granulated

sugar, salt and cornstarch and cook ten minutes, stirring frequently. Gradually stir in well-beaten egg yolks and butter and cook two minutes, stirring constantly; cool. Turn into baked pastry shell. Cover with meringue made by gradually beating powdered sugar into egg whites, beaten until thick, then beating until mixture is stiff and stands up in peaks. Bake lightly on filling and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about fifteen minutes or until meringue is delicately browned. Yield: One 9-inch pie.

GENERAL RULES FOR THE COOKING OF APPLES

- 1.—In the cooking of apples the natural flavor of the apple should be developed. This means that very few spices and flavorings should be used. If this is done you are not so apt to tire of apples.
- 2.—Sugar toughens the cellulose of apples. If you wish the apples to keep their shape, prepare a syrup by boiling sugar and water, and cook the apples in this syrup. If you want the apples to break down, cook the apples with water till soft, then add the sugar. The second method requires less sugar.
- 3.—Whenever possible, cook the apples without peeling. The skin contains cellulose, which is a valuable laxative.
- 4.—Bake apples in a moderate oven.
- 5.—When peeling apples keep them covered so that they are not exposed to the air. This exposure causes the apples to discolor. The apples may be put in a covered container or put in cold water or covered with dressing as in the case of salads.

DROP BAKING POWDER BISCUITS

- 2 cups sifted flour
- 3 tablespoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup milk (about)

Mix and sift dry ingredients, cut in shortening until well mixed and add milk, stirring quickly until a soft dough is formed.

APPLE SURPRISE SALAD

- 1 package raspberry-jelly powder
- 1 cup diced apples
- 1 cup chopped celery
- 1 cup drained, crushed pineapple
- 1 cup chopped dates
- 1 cup chopped nuts
- Mayonnaise
- 1 cup heavy cream—whipped

Prepare jelly powder according to package directions; cool. Combine apples, celery, pineapple, dates, nuts and 2 tablespoons mayonnaise. When jelly is thickened slightly, fold in fruit mixture and whipped cream. Turn into mold; chill until firm. Unmold on crisp lettuce, garnish with added mayonnaise. Yield: 6 portions.

RECIPE FOR NEVER-FAIL PIE CRUSTS

- 1 level tablespoon shortening
 - 1 cup cold water
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1 cup sifted pastry flour
- Put shortening and water in mixing bowl and work till shortening is crumbly. (Not all the water will be absorbed by the shortening.) Add salt and flour and stir with knife until well blended. Use as desired. Note: When rolling out to use, handle as little as possible.

APPLE BREAD WINS FAVOR

Okanagan fruit growers are delighted over the strides made in recent months by bakers of "Apple Bread." It serves as another outlet for apples to the consumer who has taken to this bread, which has a delicate flavor, retains its moisture much longer and is baked with not less than 20% apple content. Increasing sales for those bakers producing it in Western Canada is final proof that it has won the favor of all mothers and housewives due to its health-giving qualities.



Mineral Starvation Causes Early Aging

CHICAGO—When an adult lacks vigor and becomes old before his time, he is probably suffering from long years of mineral starvation. This suggestion is made in the current issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

Lack of sufficient calcium and vitamin D in the diet is now known to be the reason why the bones of elderly persons become abnormally porous. "Senile osteoporosis" is the name physicians give to the general demineralization of the skeleton that is commonly present in elderly persons.

This condition over a period of many years may result also in pathologic changes in the kidneys and other vital organs and thus affect the general health, the medical journal declares.

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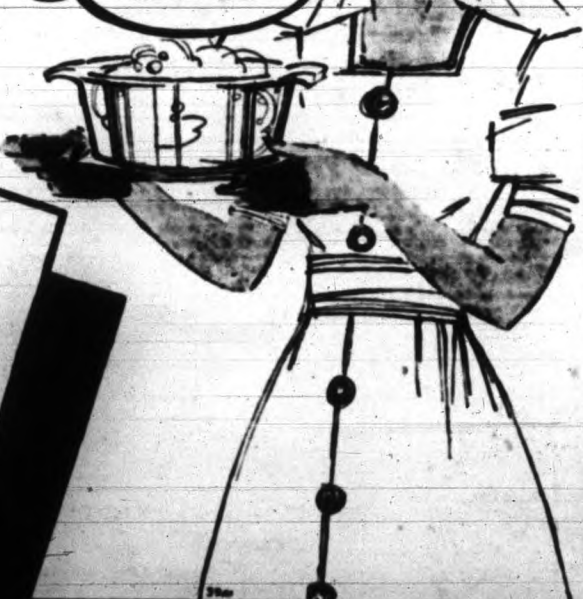
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 - 1 cup white sugar
 - 4 egg whites
- Soak the apples thoroughly in water. Then remove or soak of the water out as possible. Peel the apples and the syrup together lightly. Add the apples, the sliced apples, and the egg whites. Bake in a well buttered pan until the apples are tender. This will serve eight.



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Wolverhampton Club to Watch

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

IT MIGHT sound like carrying coals to Newcastle, but Joe McCarthy, with just the correct amount of conservatism, remarks: "We could still be a little stronger for 1939—possibly in the pitching department—but if nothing out of the ordinary happens maybe we'll make it four straight."

The New York Yankee Baseball Club chieftain gives you to understand that something out of the ordinary means anything from an epidemic of the pip to a siege of injuries such as suffered by the Chicago White Sox last year. There appears to be no other worries.

His pitching problem? Not really so acute, even though Spud Chandler will be out for some time with a broken ankle.

"Oral Hildebrand should be a big help to us," says Joe. "In the first place he'll be working in a bigger park than he had in St. Louis—and what's possibly more important, he'll have a better club behind him. If Gomez, Ruffing and Pearson do their usual job I'll be satisfied."

He shows particular interest in Joe Gallagher, Charlie Keller and Walter Judnich, a trio of out-of-field recruits. Gallagher's record with Kansas City, McCarthy claims, actually is better than that of Ted Williams, the 19-year-old Minneapolis star who goes up with the Boston Red Sox this spring.

"Williams hit .366," says Joe. "Gallagher .343, but there's a vast difference in the size of their two home parks." What's more, Joe likes the 23 bases which Gallagher stole in the American Association.

Keller, one of the brightest prospects ever to come from the International League, appears to be a ball player with only one fault. The Newark flash is a great hitter, but critics say he takes just a split second too long in getting the ball away.

At that, Keller probably will join DiMaggio and Henrich to give the Yanks one of the youngest outfields ever to play in the major league—and, it might be added, one of the best.

McCarthy, among other things, denies Lou Gehrig is through. "Cold figures might indicate he had a poor season in 1938, but that was only a poor season for Gehrig. Everyone's just used to seeing him 'way up on top of the batting averages, and when he slips it seems startling."

"Oh, I know Lou isn't as fast as he used to be, but he still has at least three years of good baseball left in him."

Competition this year? Well, Joe has a watchful eye on Boston. "Fox came back strong last year and they've got a hard-hitting club all around. Good pitching, too."

"Cleveland is wondering how Johnny Allen's operation will turn out... and if young Bob Feller will improve. Detroit will be tough if Bridges and Rowe make any kind of comeback and if this kid Hutchinson comes through."

But Marse Joe isn't going to worry too much about the opposition. That New York dynamite is too potent and no one realizes it better than Joe.

Junior Shuttle Tourney Tomorrow

Forty-two members of the younger set of the badminton league will bat it out tomorrow evening at the Willow Courts in a junior single tournament arranged by the Lower Island League.

Entries have been received from as far up-island as Duncan and competition promises to be keen. The age limit for competitors is under 17 at December 31 of the current year's play. Last minute entries will be accommodated if possible.

The first matches will get under way at 9.30 with the following leading off: Art Lees, C. Murdoch, F. Calderhead, I. Harris, L. Wilson, J. Brandon, D. Macfarlane, P. Mullon, G. Harwood, J. Murdoch, Bob McCarter, Ted Walker, Dennis Young and W. Walker.

Women's play will follow. Those entered are: Misses P. Allen, G. Gore-Laughton, L. Holmes, B. Dennesson, F. Edwards, N. Carruthers, M. Sluggett and B. Hill.

It is hoped to have a sufficiently big tournament next year to run two days. The object of the tournament is to help young players.

English Soccer Experts Predict League and Cup Victory for Team

LONDON (CP)—Overwhelming defeat of the great teams during the past week has given soccer fans in England and Scotland food for seemingly inexhaustible discussion. Clyde provided the first sensation by its 4 to 1 Scottish cup victory over Rangers at Ibrox Park and Wednesday the 7 to 0 shelling given Everton by Wolverhampton Wanderers in English League football brought headlines up and down the country.

In both countries clubs revert to league play at the weekend and the doings of the defeated teams, leaders in their respective leagues, will be watched with intense interest.

Several experts declared the Wolves' display against Everton was the best in England for many years, and if they can maintain that standard, their emergence as English cup winners and league champions is almost certain. The Wanderers will have another chance to prove their victory was no flash in the pan when they meet Everton in the cup competition on the same ground, March 4.

At Ibrox Park, supporters of Rangers believe the defeat of their heroes marked only a temporary lapse from the form that has carried them to the top of the league with an 11-point advantage over Hearts, holders of second place with 36 points.

Rangers are at home to Kilmarock tomorrow and generally favored to win, but English critics are guarded in their predictions about everyone's chances at Leeds. Wolverhampton, only two points behind Everton in England's major league, goes to Liverpool.

Douglas McMahon, Winnipeg-born forward on the Wanderers' roster, is likely to find a place in the first team only if a member of the attack is injured. Major Frank Buckley will not make any changes in the present combination.

WILL SELL STARS

Departure of Dai Astley to Blackpool has been followed by the announcement that Derby County is prepared to receive offers for Sam Crooks and J. Barker, international stars. It is the club's policy to reduce the average age of the team. Blackpool is making seven changes in the side to play at Stoke and among those dropped is J. Buchanan, high-priced inside-right, who came from Glasgow Celtic last season.

Sheffield United is determined to keep up with promotion contenders in the second division and Bobby Reid, Brentford's international winger joined the Yorkshiremen this week for their match against Manchester City. Blackburn Rovers, leaders in the division, are away to Tottenham Hotspurs.

Probably the most attractive match on the Scottish card will be played at Aberdeen, where Hearts provide the opposition. Smarting under the 2 to 1 reverse that meant their elimination from the Scottish cup by Celtic Wednesday, the squad from the Scottish capital will fight hard at Pittodrie Park, where the Dons are still in the running for the cup.

Celtic plays Partick Thistle at Parkhead, and Clyde will receive a big welcome at Dumfries, where Queen of the South can be expected to go all out to retain their place in the league standing.

BOXING

London — Eric Boon, 134½, British lightweight champion, stopped Arthur Danahar, 134½ (14).

Cleveland — Dan Merritt, 184, Cleveland, knocked out Ted Keating, 180, Toronto (1).

Philadelphia — Wally Sears, 190, Minersville, Pa., stopped Joe Sofi, 180, Philadelphia (4).

Atlantic City, N.J. — Bob Montgomery, 140, outpointed Jay Macadon, 145, Newark (8).

Seabiscuit Withdrawn

Handicap Champion Out of Santa Anita Handicap; Boeig Releases James

LOS ANGELES (AP)—With the mighty Seabiscuit definitely withdrawn from handicap ranks, entries were to be named today for the running of the \$10,000 Santa Anita handicap at Santa Anita Park tomorrow.

Bringing an end to days of uncertainty and speculation, C. S. Howard announced today the Biscuit would not try to get up to the \$10,000 Santa Anita handicap March 4, but would take a long rest and go into training later for the \$50,000 gold cup race at Hollywood Park, near here, in July.

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SPORT

Victoria Daily Times

Sport Briefs

WESTERNS CAPTURE GAME WITH MUNROS

VANCOUVER (CP)—Vancouver Westerns took a first step forward in defence of their Canadian basketball title here last night when they downed Munro Furs 47 to 34 in the opening game of the Intercity Basketball League semifinal playoffs.

The teams are playing a best-two-out of three series for the right to meet Tooles in the final.

Westerns, the 1938 Dominion titlists, who were second in the league standings, led the Munro Fur team 23 to 11 at the halfway mark.

Retains British Title

LONDON (CP)—Eric Boon successfully defended his British lightweight boxing championship at Harringay arena last night, defeating Arthur Danahar. The referee stopped the fight in the 14th round of a scheduled 15-round match.

A crowd of 13,000 saw the fight, one of the most thrilling in British boxing history. They fought tooth and nail after the eighth round, which was the crux of the whole fight.

Grads Win Another

NIAGARA FALLS (CP)—Edmonton Grads, world champions in women's basketball, continued their decisive march through the east last night with a 51 to 11 victory over Niagara Falls Anglican at Stamford Collegiate.

Becoming accustomed to the small floor after five minutes, Grads began to score with regularity after that and led by 34 to 1 at half time.

Dean's Arm O.K.

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Dizzy Dean, displaying remarkable restraint, arrived here yesterday with the advance guard of Chicago Cubs who are training-camp bound, and announced his arm is feeling better than it has for years.

"My arm is perfect now," said Dizzy.

Trail Winner 3 to 1

AMSTERDAM (CP)—Continuing their undefeated European tour, Trail Smoke Eaters last night beat the west European Canadians 3 to 1 in a fast match here.

Right wings Jack McCreedy and Joe Benoit, and Jimmy Morris, defence, scored for Trail.

Italy to Seek Games

ROME (AP)—The Italian Olympic committee announced last night that Rome would bid for the 1944 Olympic games in June, when the international Olympic committee meets.

Schriner Gains Tie With Blake

Dave (Sweeney) Schriner, of Americans pulled into a first place tie with Toe Blake of Canadians last night in the race for individual National Hockey League scoring honors by getting a goal and an assist as the New Yorkers triumphed 3 to 1 over Chicago Black Hawks.

Johnny Gottselig got the Chicago tally and Tommy Anderson of Americans an assist to tie for second place one point behind the leaders. Phil Watson of Rangers was a newcomer to the big seven, getting a goal in a 4 to 2 victory over Detroit.

Leaders follow:

	G. A. Pts.
Blake, Canadians	17 18 35
Schriner, Americans	11 24 35
Gottselig, Chicago	15 19 34
Anderson, Americans	10 24 34
Apps, Toronto	13 20 33
Smith, Rangers	14 16 30
Watson, Rangers	13 17 30
Barry, Detroit	10 20 30

Howard said the Biscuit was fast recovering from a lame ankle, but time was too short to get him ready for the March 4 classic.

The immediate racing plans of Clencia, filly winner of the Santa Anita Derby, remained unanswered, but the W. E. Boeig stable and jockey Basil James, who rode Porter's Mite fourth in the Derby had parried company. Boeig found fault with James' handling of the colt, claiming he rushed him too early in the race, and released James from his contract.



1939 CANINE CHAMPION—Less than two months ago, his "kennel" was a tenement flat over a barber shop in Augsburg, Germany. Now Ferry von Raufhelsen, a Doberman pinscher, proudly bears the title of "best dog" in the Westminster Kennel Club's famous national show in New York.

Dominoes Beat Aces

Score 43 to 37 Victory Over Touring Club in Smart Basketball Tilt

A lot of people missed a good basketball game last night. The Victoria Dominoes defeated the touring professional Bearded Aces from the City of David by a score of 43 to 37 before a mere scattering of fans at the High School gym. The two teams will get together again this evening at 9, in the main event of an interesting card.

The game last night was interesting all the way with every type of foul being called... technicals, doubles and common ordinary every day fouls. There were 22 called against the Aces with the Dominoes making good on seven of them. The bearded boys sank five of the six fouls charged against the locals.

Bert Davies led off the scoring of the game by sinking a foul shot after a minute or so of play... Hank Rowe sank a bucket shot... no answer from the Aces... Rowe made good on a second twister... still no answer. Art Chapman came through with a field goal... the answer of last, with Hallisey doing the talking... the score, 7 to 2. Then came a nice long goal from the visiting star, Millheam, and Podwell came through with another. Jackson made it 9 to 6 for the Dominoes, but Duboski retaliated with fellow teammates, Podwell, and Hillbeam, following up in quick succession to put the Aces in the lead 12 to 9. The quarter ended 14 to 11 for the Aces.

SENSATIONAL SCORING

The last few minutes scoring of the Bearded Aces in that quarter was no less than sensational. The baskets were all long ones with a stiff Dominoes defence to get by. The Dominoes made most of theirs through closer shots and bucket plays.

Taylor opened the second quarter with a cross court basket. The score mounted to 18 to 16 for the visitors. Seconds later Chuck Chapman came through to tie things up and sank another shot to put the locals in the lead. The Dominoes gradually increased that margin and at the half they were 31 to 22 to the good.

They were outplayed in the third quarter though with the Aces scoring 14 points to their four, making it 36 to 25 for the bewhiskered gents at the end of the period.

It took three minutes of play before a basket was scored in the final quarter. Millheam made good on a long one. Minute by minute the lead bounced back and forth until a couple of technical fouls were called against the visitors in the heat of the game and the Dominoes pushed themselves on to end the game in the lead, 43 to 37.

Rowe and Art Chapman were high scorers for the locals, scoring 12 and 10 respectively, while Podwell and Millheam led the visitors with 15 and 9 points each.

"T" JUNIORS WIN

Bill Naysmith's smart-working Y.M.C.A. junior squad defeated Ladysmith 32 to 17 in a fine preliminary game. It was a semifinal for the lower island junior championship.

In a curtain-raiser exhibition,

the Victoria High School intermediates defeated Buckles 24 to 23.

Bill Levy, Victoria, refereed, and J. Timothy, Ladysmith, acted as umpire during the Y.M.C.A. Ladysmith fixture. Teams and individual scores follow:

Dominoes — Davies 1, Taylor 5, Rowe 12, Mylrea 2, A. Chapman 9, Jackson 4, and Patterson. Bearded Aces — Hallisey 5, Millheam 9, Swineheart, Podwell 15, and Duboski 8.

Victoria Y.M.C.A. — Winslow 8, Macready 6, Province, Watson 4, Sprinkling, Ball 2, Long 7, Bostock 3, and Peden 2.

Ladysmith — R. Popovich 9, W. Radovich, W. MacDonald 2, Morgan, Copp 6, and A. MacDonald.

High School All-stars — Mylrea 6, Humber, Inglis 10, Watson 1, Minnis 2, Stevenson 1, Taylor 1, and Ross.

Buckle's Service Station — Elford 2, Edisson, Harknett 4, Travis 8, Lemon 7, Burton 2, and Hampton.

Chinese, Aces Gain Island Hoop Finals

Local Cage Squads Defeat West Road and Sooke in Lower Island Series

Chinese Students and Eight Aces, two of the smartest young hoop aggregations over produced in this city, advanced into the Vancouver Island championship finals in their respective divisions last night at Sooke, when they met their opponents in final games of two-match lower island finals series and finished with high total scores.

Although Manager Albert Mar's Chinese lads of the senior B men's division dropped a 26 to 23 decision to West Road they had won the first game by a 37 to 30 margin and took the series 60 to 56 on the total point count.

Eight Aces had an easy time of it with Sooke, winning 42 to 23 last night. They won the first game 69 to 41 and took the series 111 to 64. They were fighting for lower island intermediate A boys' laurels.

Bob Macmurchie and Bob Malcolm refereed.

Teams and scorers follow: Eight Aces—Acreman 13, W. Price 2, R. Price 2, Smith 2, Clague 15, Whitfield, Pridham 4, Webster 4.

Sooke—D. Lorimer 17, Blight, Clark 4, Pontious 2, Duncan, G. Lormier, Syrett and Banner.

Chinese Students—G. Love 2, Wallace Lee 2, H. Chang 5, D. Lee 7, B. Mar 6, Walter Lee, C. Nip, A. Chan, H. Fong.

West Road—W. Sluggett 4, C. S. Sluggett 8, G. Sluggett, G. Landon 3, Reid 2.

Workout Tomorrow

A special workout of the Y.M.C.A. gym team has been called for tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 5 at the "Y" gym, Coach Archie McKinnon announced today. The workout will be in preparation for the British Columbia gymnastic championships at the Centre Gymnasium, Vancouver, on March 11.

New York Clubs Win Major Hockey Tilts

'Y' Swimmers Train for Meet

Prepare for B.C. Championship Gala Here March 4

"Y" Swimming Club members are in stiff training sessions in preparation for the B.C. championship meet to be held at the Crystal Garden, March 4, and according to Coach Archie McKinnon, the strong squad will be sent out after a great many of the titles.

Coach McKinnon wants all the "Y" swimmers out at 6.45 tomorrow evening at the Crystal Garden, when time trials will be taken prior to the selecting of the team. Although every member will be looked for, the junior section of the club is especially urged to attend if they want a place on the "Y" team in the B.C. championships.

At a meeting of the executive of the "Y" Swimming Club, on Tuesday evening, it was decided that a handicap swim series for both men and women would be held at the Crystal Garden every Saturday evening following the championship meet. The first will be staged the evening of March 11. The committee in charge of the series is made up of George Morgan, Gordon Taylor, Bob Smir, Miss Ruby Walker and Coach McKinnon.

It was also announced that the U.B.C. swimmers had invited the local "Y" group to compete in a friendly swim in the near future. If details can be arranged the invitation will be accepted. The social committee under the chairmanship of Bob Doherty announced that next month's social event of the club would take the form of a splash party.

Oak Bay Will Make Final Bid

Meet J.B.A.A. Ruggers In Crucial Battle Tomorrow Afternoon

Oak Bay Wanderers senior ruggers will be given their last opportunity to stay in the running for city laurels tomorrow afternoon when they tackle Manager Bob McInnes' J.B.A.A. oval ball warriors on the upper pitch at Macdonald Park.

If Manager Wally Brynjolfson's Oak Bay boys lose tomorrow they are finished with league play for this season as the second half schedule has been cut drastically in order to have the city champs named in time for the provincial club championship scrap in Vancouver on March 25.

Bays took possession of the first half championship in the Barnard Cup race from Wanderers last week with an 8 to 5 decision and will be out in full strength again to make it two straight victories. If the oarsmen win tomorrow and take the United Service team on March 11 they will win the trophy.

In an attempt to strengthen the Wanderers team, Coach Joe Roberts has reshuffled the players a bit. Groff Murdoch, three-quarter, will handle the defence position and Jack Grogan will be moved up to work as flyhalf. Tom Carney and Brent Murdoch will operate on the wings in the three line and Barber and Stevens will work as inside three.

The only change in the Bays' line-up is Paul Rowe replacing Colin Lucas as inside three-quarter. Rowe, who was a member of Charlie Morton's flying Fifth Brigade fifteen, should give the oarsmen's backfield added strength.

Intermediate games will see Oak Bay Wanderers oppose Canadian Scottish on the lower field at Macdonald Park, and Victoria College and Navy meet at Admirals Road.

All games start at 3.

Teams follow: Oak Bay Wanderers (senior): Buckler, Ley, Guelps, Dowell, Colthrust, Gornall, Forbes, Lannigan, Acland, Roberts, G. Murdoch, Anderson, Grogan, Barber, Carney, B. Murdoch and Stevens.

J.B.A.A.: Mair, Bray, Petticrew, Andrews, F. Doheny, Simpson, G. Doheny, Leighton, Langdon, Brown, Halkett, Rowe, Smith, Ritchie and Ferguson.

Scottish (intermediates): McDonald, Bishop, Mair, Sorenson, McLean, Fraser, Painter, Horne, Martin, Baxter, Wilson, Clark, Garrison, Luxton and Alexander. Players are asked to meet at Macdonald Park at 2.15.

Harrisburg, Pa. — The Golden Terror, 303, defeated Nick Campofreda, 218, Baltimore, by default.

Hockey Standings

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.	Goals
Boston	28	9	2	113	54	58	
Rangers	23	10	4	112	72	50	
Americans	16	16	9	96	116	41	
Toronto	15	17	7	93	86	37	
Detroit	12	21	6	80	106	30	
Chicago	11	21	7	73	100	29	
Canadiens	10	21	7	88	123	27	

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.	Goals
Portland	29	9	7	160	111	65	
Seattle	20	17	6	148	136	46	
Spokane	12	23	7	128	132	41	
Vancouver	10	22	8	107	144	28	

Racing Results

SANTA ANITA—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:

First race—Seven furlongs	
Smoky Snyder (James)	116.00 87.20 83.80
Warrior (Wall)	1.40 4.20
Iron Bunker (Cough)	2.00
Time, 1:25 3-5. Also ran: Double Pot, Buck, Bomber, Tumppah, Queen, Watch, Time, Lovely Belle, Don't Forget, Kavel.	
Second race—Six furlongs	
Barbados (Adams)	818.20 6.20 55.20
Battle Cull (James)	1.40 5.00
Back Dinner (Longwell)	1.20 4.20
Barbados (Adams)	1.40 4.20
Keshia, Commendable, Polaris, Courtier, High Voice, Kesse Jack, Black Highway, Don Gussman.	
Third race—Mile and a sixteenth	
Swapping Dams (Williams)	54.20 54.20 52.00
Day Dancer (Longwell)	4.00 1.50
Lady Roma (James)	4.00
Time, 1:45 4-5. Also ran: Howdoun, May, Lady Jacqueline, Fortune, Sage Leaf, May, Miss, Ethelmont, Bon Fly, Tenace.	
Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth	
War Moon (Wall)	54.00 53.00 52.00
First Finish (Bierman)	4.00 2.00
Ed (Westgate)	4.00 1.40
Time, 1:45 4-5. Also ran: Abneres, Maccompute, Colonel Bret, Royal Bit.	
Fifth race—Six furlongs	
Brevets (Longwell)	55.00 54.00 52.00
Midas (Chojacki)	14.20 7.00
Alreida (Wall)	1.40 1.50
Time, 1:12. Also ran: Playful Wink, Miss, Journey On, Buchanan, Melodist.	
Sixth race—Mile and an eighth	
St. Will (Longwell)	57.20 54.00 53.20
St. Gray (Bierman)	4.00 1.40
Come to Tow (Gray)	4.00
Time, 1:52 3-5. Also ran: Desaturo, Newark, Winfred, Kandahar, Chief, Brostgert.	
Eighth race—Mile and an eighth	
St. Midas (Longwell)	515.00 53.00 51.00
St. Midas (Longwell)	1.40 1.50
St. Midas (Longwell)	1.40 1.50
Time, 1:52 3-5. Also ran: Khyram, Alreida, Miss Pomer, Proud Indian, Glenbrook.	

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Louis, pinned Everett Marshall,
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Rangers Beat Detroit By 2 Goals

Score Is 4 to 2; Americans Take Chicago Black Hawks 3 to 1

The National Hockey League's main aspirants to the Stanley Cup won't be satisfied till they have battered Chicago Black Hawks deep into the cellar. The Hawks won the cup last spring when they appeared the sixth-best team on paper. After winning only three games in their last 18 starts, the Chicagoans still stand a reasonable chance of being in there when the playoffs open—and the memories of the Hawks' 1938 march still haunt the boys up front.

New York Americans ended a long slump last night with a 3 to 1 victory over Chicago at New York. Everyone is doing that sort of thing to the Hawks, but they refuse to fall into the bottom of the league. They are in the sixth and last playoff spot and, while the seventh-place Montreal Canadiens flurry once in a while, the Hawks persist in hanging on.

It was typical Black Hawk day. The club sent Bob Gracie to Cleveland of the International American League in the afternoon and took a beating before a small crowd at night. Gracie was demoted for "indifferent play," the same thing that resulted in Alex Levisky's departure a few weeks ago.

STUART SCORES

Americans had won only once in 10 starts and it took them a time to promote this success. Held scoreless through the first period, they went ahead on Nels Stewart's goal seven minutes after the second started. Sweeney Schriener raised the margin late in the third, but Johnny Gottselig scored for Chicago at 19:00.

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Galento Whips Feldman

Fight Stopped in Third; Tony's Chances For Louis Bout Brighten

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—In case bold Tony Galento does get that shot at champion Joe Louis next summer, which now seems assured, the very least he ought to do is cut hiser Abe Feldman in for about 10 per cent of his end of the purse.

Abe did a lot to help Tony's cause by the sort of fighting he put up here last night before referee Dave Miller finally had to stop it early in the third round to spare him further punishment and possibly save Galento from a charge of manslaughter.

Bald Abe apparently did his level best to make a fight of it. If he didn't, then he took a terrible beating to make it look good. The crowd of about 10,000, counting deadheads, would have understood if Feldman had stayed down any one of the three times Tony smashed him to the canvas in the second round. They were yelling to Miller frantically to stop it when Abe sank to his knees from a terrific left to the body after 30 seconds of the third.

Tony gets a little more savage each fight as he sees himself getting nearer to a battle with the champion. He's determined to face Louis!

"Why shouldn't I get a chance at 'im?" he kept saying last night. "Sharkey and Carnera and them other bums got a chance to make some big money, didn't they? I'm no bigger bum than they was. I'll just open Louis like I done Feldman if I hit him wit' my left."

And there might be something in that—if he could by some miracle smack Joe a couple like he landed on Feldman—before the champion chopped him down. It could happen. Neither Louis nor any other fighter could laugh off the thunderbolts Tony tossed last night.

WRESTLING

Toronto — Jim London, 230, Greece, defeated Joe Savoldi, 222, Three Oaks, Mich., 46 minutes. Camder, N.J.—C. Garibaldi, 218, New York, defeated Tommy Rae, 210, Salem, Mass., two falls out of three.

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most immediately, Art Chapman completed the New York total in the last minute on a breakaway, after Mike Karakas had been pulled from the visitors' goal.

Another bad break accompanied the game for the Americans, riddled all season by injuries and illnesses. Lorne Carr had to leave at the end of the second period because of grippe that lifted his temperature to 102.

The Hawks stayed only a point behind the fifth-place Detroit Red Wings, for New York Rangers whipped the Wings 4 to 2 at Detroit. After Ebbie Goodfellow scored on his own team, Detroit, in trying to clear the puck in the first period, Rangers stayed ahead.

Goodfellow scored on the right net in the second, but Rangers already were up 2 to 0 on Neil Colville's goal. Cecil Dillon scored again for New York late in the same period and after Pete Kelly completed Detroit's scoring Alex Shubicky fired the fourth Rangers' score.

The Detroit and Chicago losses were all to the good of the trailing Canadiens, but they accepted a bit of hard luck in the loss of Willie Cude for a week. The little goalie has been ordered to lay off, because of an eye injury, and Claude Bourque has been called back from Kansas City to replace him.

Summaries follow:

RANGERS-DETROIT

First period—1, Rangers, Watson (Pratt), 11:22. Penalties: Heller (2), M. Patrick, N. Colville, Conacher.

Second period—2, Rangers, M. Colville, 5:41; 3, Detroit, Goodfellow, 13:13; 4, Rangers, Dillon (L. Patrick, Heller), 17:35. Penalty: Wares.

Third period—5, Detroit, Kelly (Young, Howe), 5:34; 6, Rangers, Shubicky (N. Colville), 11:24. Penalty: Lewis.

AMERICANS-CHICAGO

First period—Scoring none. Penalty: Goldworthy.

Second period—1, Americans, Stewart (Field), 7:47. Penalties: None.

Third period—2, Americans, Schirner (Chapman, Jenkins), 13:51; 3, Chicago, Gottselig (Dahlstrom, Seibert), 15:34; 4, Americans, Chapman (Anderson, Schirner), 19:49. Penalties: Jenkins, Desilets.

Perry Picks Australians

Former Amateur Net King Sees Davis Cup Due For Trans-Pacific Trip

NEW YORK (AP)—Fred Perry dropped in on the national indoor tennis championships today. It was quite an event—either that, or the matches were dull. "Whatever the reason, fully 24 of the 25 spectators quit watching the matches to listen to Perry. The amiable Briton did not disappoint them.

"Quite interesting," said Perry, "all these statements that the United States has a 50-50 chance to keep the Davis Cup this year. Interesting, if true. But I don't think it is true.

"The cup's going on a trip to Australia. Look at it this way. With Budge on the team, the U.S. could count on two points in advance. Now he's a pro, and Bobby Riggs is their best bet. But Riggs' strong point is playing to a man's backhand. Australia's Jack Bromwich has no backhand. He just shifts his racket from one hand to the other, and has no weakness in either. Riggs can't beat Bromwich and the U.S. can't beat Australia."

Perry finally was brought to the subject of the national indoor championship. His choice and not a very startling one, was Wayne Sabin, the Davis Cup contender and No. 1 seeded from Portland, Ore.



WOODS GHOST—Levi Dow

Maine game warden, holds the white partridge shot by a hunter north of Fort Kent. The bird, considered by authorities as the first of its kind ever seen, will be placed in the State House museum at Augusta.

Hawks Drop Hot Battle to Bucs

Portland Wins Coast Hockey Fixture 6 to 4; Lions Play Tonight

PORTLAND, Ore. (CP)—Although Pacific Coast Hockey League interest these days seems centred on the bitter struggle between Vancouver Lions and Spokane Clippers for a place in the loop playoffs, Seattle Sea Hawks and Portland Buckaroos still stage battles which provide puck fans with plenty of excitement.

Witness a rough and tumble thriller here last night in which the league-leading Buckaroos downed the second-place Sea Hawks, 6 to 4.

Tonight in Vancouver, the cellar-dwelling Lions entertain Spokane Clippers. A win for Lions will pull them up within one point of the Clippers.

A free-scoring period last night saw each team mark up three tallies apiece. Scharfe, Martin and Oulette netted for Portland. Tabor smacked home two for the Hawks and Ken Doraty the third.

Bucs broke the deadlock in the next period when Martin and Conn scored.

Tabor cut the Portland lead to one goal when he and Frank Jerwa knifed through the Buc defence and scored in 14:51 of the last period but Eddie Oulette restored the two-point advantage when he flicked Conn's pass into the cage about a minute later.

Ambers in Big Test Tonight

Former Lightweight Champ to Meet Arizmendi in Madison Square Ring

NEW YORK (AP)—The loss of a title does strange things to a fighter. It has changed Lou Ambers from a happy-go-lucky boy into a man stuffed to the teeth with the urge to fight his way back to the lightweight title he prized so much and lost so hard.

This urge plus a new stability in his ring work has made Ambers an 8 to 5 favorite over Baby Arizmendi, the Mexican, for their 12-round bout in Madison Square Garden tonight.

Nothing in the records gives Lou that much of a bulge. In previous fights he took a close decision from the hardy Hidalgo, then drew with him in a terrific brawl that was supposed to be a light tune-up for his title defence against Henry Armstrong.

The bout tonight is Lou's most important since Henry's victory over him after a long and bloody fight. If he wins no man can say he doesn't deserve another crack at the crown. In fact the New York State Athletic Commission already has gone on record to that effect, a ruling which will be so much goggle water if Arizmendi wins.

A Hamburg, Germany, resident collects bus and street car tickets as a hobby. The collection contains 26,000 such tickets, the oldest of which having been issued in Turin in 1867.

Soccer Games For Tomorrow

Two League Encounters For First Division Eleven; Start at 2.30

League matches will be the order for first division football teams tomorrow afternoon. League-leading Victoria West will tangle with Esquimalt at the Athletic Park and at Heywood Avenue Victory City will meet Saanich Thistles.

Kick-offs are set for 2.30.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE

Two league matches are set for intermediate eleven. Young Liberals will oppose Camerons at Beacon Hill and Cayes will battle the Navy at Central Park. A win or draw for the Liberals will give them the league championship.

Kick-offs at 2.30.

MERCHANTS LEAGUE

Only one match will be played in this league tomorrow with Mount Tolmie opposing the Admirals at Central Park at 2.30. The Navy-Conservatives match has been postponed.

JUVENILE LEAGUE

Matches in this league for tomorrow follows: Esquimalt Meat Market vs. Maple Leafs, at Bullen Park; St. Louis College vs. Pee Wees, at upper Central. Kick-offs at 10.30.

TEAMS FOLLOW:

Victoria City — Rowe, Fieldhouse, Easter, C. Robbins, G. Robbins, Williams, Youson, Munroe, Condon, Ord, B. Robbins, McCalg, J. Robbins, Murray, Nugent and Chalmers. Players to meet at Veterans of France at 1.45.

Saanich Thistles — Webster, Bissenden, Crowe, Underwood, Mowat, Speller, Hope, MacDonald, Tregella, Robson, Marshall, Gibson, Oakley and Ono. Players to meet at park at 2.30.

Esquimalt-Hornby, J. Watt, Laird, Moody, Holt, McBay, Hal-kett, Purdy, Barnswell, A. Stewart, J. Watt, Stewart, Payne and Bell.

Victoria West—Restell, Cooper, Wright, Smith, Restell, Barnes, R. Barnes, N. Sage, Sage, Morgan, Dallimore and Price.

Pee Wees — Mar, McDonald, Sweeney, Buxton, Atkinson, Johnstone, Denoni, Brown, Donaghy, Hodder, Lee, Der, Wharf, Webster and Simpson. Players are asked to be at Central Park at 10.15.

T. W. MacPherson

Heads Anglers

Elected President of Chinook Club; Charlie Clarke Vice-president

The salmon angling fraternity began shaping its plans for 1939 activities in Saanich Inlet last night when members of the Chinook Club of the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association gathered in Spencer's dining room for their annual meeting and elected Tommy W. MacPherson, present chief executive of the association, as their new president by unanimous vote.

Charlie Clarke was chosen vice-president and "Smiling Bill" Rowe was returned to handle the secretarial duties for the fourth successive term.

Seventy members of this exclusive group, which allows none other than button winners of the association within its ranks, were present.

Harry Woolston, retiring president, in giving his annual report announced that the active membership had been doubled in 1938 and was of the opinion that the past year was one of the most successful in the club's history. He thanked the entertainment and competition committees and members for their support.

Angling honors went to Mrs. George Smith and Bill Pomeroy during the year. Mrs. Smith was presented with the Chinook Club Cup for catching the largest fish among the women members, a 31-pounder, and Pomeroy was the recipient of the H. E. Silburn Cup. His 36-pounder outweighed any other specimen caught by a male member.

George "Joker" Patton, chairman of the competition committee, gave an account of the successful derby held for members and Secretary Bill Rowe's financial report showed the club had operated completely on its own finances and had finished the year with a small bank balance. Mrs. Smith gave a report on entertainment activities.

Several bronze, silver and gold certificates were presented to members by Charlie Clarke.

Hartford, Conn. — Don George, 321, North Java, N.J., defeated Ernest "Pat" Kelly, 218, Tennessee, two out of three falls.



HIS NOSE KNOWS—Peerless Blockem, the winner,

covers a quail in this unusual picture, snapped during the Pinhurst Field Trial Club trials. The dog is the property of L. M. Bobbitt of Winston-Salem.

Wants Citizen Army In Disease War

WASHINGTON—The main job in the fight against syphilis is still ahead, Dr. Thomas Parran, Surgeon-General of the U.S. Public Health Service, declared at the meeting of the American Social Hygiene Association here.

Dr. Parran was presented with the association's William Freeman Snow Award for Distinguished Service to Humanity.

Much progress in the fight on venereal disease has been made in the past year with the aid of federal funds made available through the LaFollette-Bulwinkle Act, with more than \$5,000,000 additional from state and local governmental units, with tried and proved remedies for syphilis and with a new remedy, sulfamamide, for gonorrhea.

Among the advances listed by Dr. Parran is the increase in venereal disease clinics from one clinic for each 130,000 persons to one for each 80,000 persons in the general population.

"This is not enough," the service is not yet good enough," Dr. Parran said. "I repeat, we have just started to fight syphilis. The main job is ahead of us, but the movement is forward and the trend is up."

Dr. Farran pointed out that action by governments is not enough to deal with the problem and that there is need of a strong national organization, such as the American Social Hygiene Association, to enlist the citizens' army, which is a prime need in the fight.

Death Penalty for Treason in Ire

Measure Directed Against Terrorists Given Second Reading

DUBLIN (AP)—The government of Eire's measure aimed at the outlawed Irish Republican Army, authorizing the death penalty for treason, was given second reading in the Dail yesterday by a vote of 79 to 10.

Prime Minister de Valera, supporting the measure, declared "democratic states need to watch with greater care anybody or any group which, by violence, seeks to overthrow them."

He said treason was the greatest possible crime and that the main purpose of the bill was to make effective the article of the constitution which defined treason without providing penalties.

"There can be no democracy or liberty," he stressed, "unless violent methods by groups within the community are prevented."

Labor and two independents were the only members who voted against the measure.

BERLIN — Sense of taste in pigeons, ducks and chickens is essentially the same as taste in human beings, declares Dr. C. Engelmann, writing in Die Umschau. These three domestic bird species perceive the four fundamental taste classes: Sweet, sour, salty, bitter. In numerous tests with various flavored water solutions, Dr. Engelmann found that pigeons have the most acute sense of taste, chickens the least.

The Royal Visit

Alterations Are Rushed

Government House Will Be Ready For Their Majesties in Mid-April

Redecoration and minor alterations at Government House are continuing daily, in anticipation of the visit of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth at the end of May. It is expected their temporary palace in Victoria will be completely finished for them by mid-April.

Most work is being done on the private suites which will be occupied on the second story by Their Majesties. A new bathroom is being installed, several partitions are being torn down, to make rooms larger and other work is being done so the King and Queen will be quite comfortable and able to enjoy a brief period of rest amid beautiful surroundings, following their long and arduous trip across the continent.

The state dining-room, where many notables have been entertained, will be brightened for the visit, as will the drawing room and ballroom. The offices are being changed to accommodate the large number of secretaries and clerks who will be stationed there for the day.

Only one meal will be taken by Their Majesties in the main dining-room. That will be dinner the evening of May 30. That day they will have luncheon at the Empress Hotel and breakfast will probably be served in their suite.

In the greenhouses of Government House gardeners are making special plans to have early summer flowers in bloom when the King and Queen arrive. These flowers will be used in the corridors and the private rooms of Their Majesties.

Because the King and Queen are staying at only three residences in Canada work of redecoration has been reduced to a minimum. Besides Government House at Victoria, they will stay at the Citadel in Quebec and Rideau Hall in Quebec.

At all other places in Canada they will remain overnight aboard the private train.

Drapes were removed from the vice-regal suite of the Empress Hotel this week as plans went ahead to redecorate it in anticipation of the visit of the King and Queen. This suite will be occupied by high English officials in charge of the Royal tour, while Their Majesties stay at Government House.

The entire floor on which the vice-regal suite is located has been reserved for members of the Royal Party.

Special rooms will be fitted at the King and Queen the day they attend the official government luncheon in the ballroom. After their state drive and reception at the Parliament Building they will rest briefly in their hotel retiring-room.

VANCOUVER — Greater Victoria and Lower Mainland Horticultural Council this week completed organization to co-operate with the Royal Visit reception committee in arranging for floral decorations, including a picturesque arch on Georgia Street.

The committee, appointed at a previous meeting to go into the matter of the arch, submitted a tentative plan and stated arrangements are being made for a supply of suitable flowering plants which, for the most part will be in pots, tubs or boxes to ensure the blooms keeping fresh.

NEW YORK — Alan F. Lascelles, assistant private secretary to King George VI, arrived here yesterday aboard the liner Queen Mary and plans to visit Washington for a few days before proceeding to Ottawa.

He will discuss details of the Royal Visit with government officials in both capitals. In Washington he will consult with Sir Ronald Lindsay, British Ambassador to the United States and officials of the Department of State. In Ottawa he will see Prime Minister Mackenzie King and look over the complete program for Their Majesties' visit to Canada and return with it to show them at the end of March in Buckingham Palace.

LONDON (CP-Havas)—Queen Mary, visiting the textile and furnishing section of the British Industries Fair yesterday, bought a tablecloth printed with a design to commemorate the visit of the King and Queen to Canada this summer.

LONDON (CP-Havas)—The Queen has selected "certain special colors" to commemorate Her Majesty's forthcoming visit with the King to Canada and the United States, it was disclosed yesterday.

"Beyond saying that Her Majesty has elected and appropriately named the colors and that they will be issued under her Royal authority, I cannot at the moment give you details," said John A. Milne, president of the British Color Council who made the announcement.

CALGARY (CP)—Calgary district senators, members of Parliament, members of the Legislative Assembly and city council members and their wives will be the only people introduced to King George VI and Queen Elizabeth during their two-hour stop here May 26, said Mayor Andrew Davison today.

VANCOUVER (CP)—A full week of elaborate celebration revolving about the royal visit in May—a program which will include observance of Empire Day and Port Day, and the dedication of new Hotel Vancouver and the

Lion's Gate Bridge—Is planned for Vancouver.

The city is faced with the terrific undertaking of entertaining 100,000 visitors, and the Junior Board of Trade has prepared a plan which it has offered to the Vancouver royal reception committee.

Vancouver is the only city on the Royal itinerary with a great new bridge and a fine new hotel to be dedicated. The Junior Board feels that the city should capitalize on these two functions in connection with the welcoming ceremonies.

It is explained that 100,000 visitors descending on the city en masse for the King's one-day visit would congest Vancouver's traffic systems seriously. If, however, they should arrive in smaller groups to attend the festivals which are scheduled to begin on May 24, and continue until May 31, the city will be able to handle the influx without any trouble.

TABLE TENNIS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Alan Seed was elected president of the Table Tennis Club of the Victoria Boys' Athletic and Hobby Club at the inaugural meeting held last night in the Cook Street clubrooms. J. Knowles was elected president; E. Seed, secretary-treasurer, and R. Hopkins and G. Hipwood, members of the executive.

Two tables will be used for practice every night in the week and instruction in the game will be given by Lawrie Greenwood, Vic Tully and Wilmot Brown-Cave Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights.

BASEBALLERS TO MEET ON SUNDAY

The annual meeting of the Victoria Baseball Association will be held in the Colonist boardroom Sunday morning at 10.30. Officers will be elected and plans made for the new season. One of the matters that will engage the attention of the meeting is the establishment of a baseball school for junior and juvenile players.

New Identification System Explained

The system of identification which Royal Canadian Mounted Police are establishing throughout Canadian police forces to supplement fingerprinting was explained to the plain clothes department of the city police force this morning.

Corporal John Timmerman spoke to the men in the course of his cross-country tour from Ottawa. Corporal Timmerman said the R.C.M.P. had received considerable co-operation from the chief constables of Canadian forces and felt gratifying results would come from the new system. He also conferred with B.C. Police heads.



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SCOUT NEWS

ST. MARY'S TROOP

Activities of St. Mary's Scouts, Cubs and Rovers during 1938 were outlined at the annual meeting of parents and friends of the St. Mary's Troop held this week. Major H. T. Nation was chairman.

The chairman expressed regret at the absence of Sir Percy Lake, who was unable to attend, and welcomed Major J. Wise, district commissioner; Raymond Jones, local association treasurer, and Archdeacon A. E. de la Nunn. Each spoke briefly and made reference to the excellent progress that was made by the troop during the last year and the fine work of the group committee.

Reports were also presented by R. B. Robinson, honorary secretary-treasurer; Akela Mrs. G. Brock; Doreen Wells, acting Cubmaster; Jack Fawcett, Scoutmaster; Louis Durent, troop treasurer, and C. R. Scharif, rover leader. These reports showed that there were now 36 scouts, 54 Cubs and 16 Rovers in the troop.

The Scoutmaster's report pointed out the annual Scout rally was won by the Scouts of the troop. The troop also won the district rally cup. More than 40 per cent of the boys competed in the sports, showing a good all-round standard of fitness. Eleven boys passed the St. John Ambulance course and the Scout and Guide Shield in the annual spring flower show was won by the assistant Scoutmaster and several troop and patrol leaders.

It was reported Fire Chief Edward Claydars had arranged to hold a course in preparation for the fireman's badge examination at Scouts.

The summer camp was held on Snapp Island through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Harvey.

LOG SCALE DOWN

The provincial log scale in January showed a considerable drop from last year, but forestry officials explained this was due to a lag in scaling last year, which added up a heavier scale in January.

Figures for this year were 117,000,000 board feet, 1,430,337 lineal feet, 11,255 cords and 37,542 bawn logs. This compared with 144,000,000 board feet last year, 1,554,000 lineal feet, 14,031 cords and 44,306 bawn logs.

A hand roller for producing a simple pattern evenly on wet paint has been invented, and is said to take less work than supplying by brush.

Says Red Cross War-time Cause

National Acting-president Says Organization Still Working in Last War

The Canadian Red Cross Society was still a war-time institution, said Dr. F. W. Routley, Toronto, for years a director of the Ontario division and now national acting-president of the society, at a luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club in the Empress Hotel today.

"To the question: 'Is the Red Cross preparing for the next war?' I always give answer that we are still working in the last war," he said.

The Canadian Red Cross Society was a mother-organization to the broken veterans. The speaker said that it was the endeavor of the society to form an old soldiers' residential club in British Columbia, similar to the one organized in Toronto four years ago.

The Red Cross Society was a disaster relief organization always ready to serve. Although there had been few disasters in Canada recently, the Canadian society, the same as any other international branch, was ready to jump to attention. If a disaster occurred in Victoria this week, Dr. Routley said that he would guarantee \$10,000 relief funds within 10 days from the citizens of the country. Such was the organization of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

The speaker told of the International Red Cross meeting in London last June, which he attended. The delegates represented every color, race and also every difference, yet all were together under the Red Cross. All were sincere in spite of political differences.

The speaker then went on to mention the various branches of the Canadian organization in the world. The society also sponsored visiting housekeeping services, home-nursing classes, highway first aid stations along with the St. John Ambulance Association and finally the great outpost hospital service.

Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P., expressed appreciation to Dr. F. W. Routley for his address. James W. Hudson presided.

Community Chest

The monthly meeting of the board of management of the Community Chest of Greater Victoria was held on Friday, F. E. Winslow presiding.

Arrangements were completed for the annual meeting, which will take place in March. It was decided that a combined meeting with the Council of Social Agencies would be held, beginning with a dinner. Members not wishing to attend the dinner could attend the meeting at 7.45.

The speaker will be Dr. George Davidson, director of social welfare of the province, who has just completed several successful years as executive director of the Vancouver Welfare Federation. Dr. Davidson will speak on "The relationship between the Council of Social Agencies and the Community Chest."

Payments to agencies amounting to \$9,635.14 were approved by the board, this being the second payment made on the 1939 allotment. The first annual audited statement was presented by the auditors and copies of this will be presented at the annual meeting.

The secretary presented the first of four circulars which have been prepared for contributors to the Chest. These circulars will be mailed at various times throughout the year and will endeavor to give contributors a picture of the accomplishments of the various agencies. In this way it is hoped to bring home to individual donors just what their subscription makes possible through the work of the 24 agencies.

WILL BUILD NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL

A building permit for a \$9,000 Sunday school, at the corner of Niagara and Menzies Streets, known as 520 Niagara, was issued by the city building inspector's department late yesterday to the Anglican Synod.

The building, which will be finished externally in brick, will have a good setback from the street.

P. L. James is listed as architect and Williams, Terrie & Williams Ltd. contractor.

The brief plan calls for three classrooms and a kitchen as well as two sets of lavatories on the main floor.

In the basement will be a furnace-room and a boys' playroom, the latter finished with maple flooring.

TOWN TOPICS

Five motorists paid fines of \$2.50 each when they pleaded guilty in the City Police Court this morning to parking charges.

Knight and Dames of the Thistles will hold a hard-times' dance tonight in K. of P. Hall, Broad Street, starting at 9. Prizes will be given for hard-times' costumes.

Former members of the 103rd Battalion are asked to meet at Sands Mortuary Chapel Monday afternoon for the funeral of John J. Blair, a popular ex-member of the battalion who died Thursday. The funeral service will start at 2.

A press announcement that Miss Hilda Henson, Winnipeg, would give a lantern lecture to the Men's Parish Guild of the Christ Church Cathedral at the Memorial Hall this evening, is an error. There will be no meeting of the Guild tonight.

Many of her Victoria friends listened with pleasure yesterday to the singing of Rita Ormiston McNeill, a former Victoria girl now residing in Toronto. Her solo came over the CBC network and was given in connection with the National Week of Prayer.

St. Luke's branch, A.Y.P.A. meeting was presided over by Miss Minnie Schofield, who welcomed two new members, Miss Phyllis Simpson and Miss Barbara Wilson. Rev. F. Pike gave an illustrated lecture on "Palestine," which will be continued at the next meeting.

The annual women's grass hockey tournament for the Bridge Cup will be played tomorrow on the Oak Bay High School grounds, starting at 10.30. The following teams will take part: Duncan, Victoria (last year's winners), Queen Margaret's School, Duncan; Oak Bay High School, Victoria High School and Norfolk House School.

Vernon Evans, eight, 516 Burnside Road, suffered a cut on the head and was rendered unconscious when knocked down by a car yesterday afternoon, at 3, at the corner of Burnside Road and Francis Avenue. A city police report said the car was driven by James McKay, 976 Cloverdale Avenue. The boy was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by Mr. McKay and Dr. Gordon Kenning attended him.

Arrangements to provide adequate public conveniences for citizens and visitors during the royal visit here at the end of May were discussed by the city health committee, under Alderman John A. Worthington, and heads of local oil companies today.

Operation of the service station owners was sought in making restroom accommodation available to the public during the congestion expected from an influx of visitors.

Oak Bay is in a relatively stronger position than any of its neighbors in the matter of payments to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Reeve R. R. Taylor commented at yesterday evening's council meeting after the council had received a statement from the secretary of the hospital board. It showed 65.66 per cent of the charges in Oak Bay were paid by patients, against 34.7 per cent for Victoria, 38.68 for Saanich and 35.82 for Esquimalt.

A request from the Salvation Army for a grant will be considered by the Oak Bay council's estimates committee. Similar action will be taken on an offer from J. H. Gray to repair and paint the roof of the municipal hall for \$50, and with an offer from A. E. Ames and Company to exchange \$10,000 Canadian National Railway bonds for an equal value of Dominion of Canada bonds held by the municipality, with a profit of \$125 to Oak Bay.

Oak Bay has a municipal pound, but its last occupant was a cow two years ago, and at present it is used as storage space for equipment, the Oak Bay council was informed yesterday evening by the municipal foreman of works, The British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals had asked the council to consider establishing a pound in view of the number of calls for the society's inspector to look after stray dogs.

Three juveniles, between 16 and 17 years of age, were sentenced when they pleaded guilty in the Saanich Police Court yesterday to two charges of breaking and entering. Two of the youths were sentenced to two years less one day in jail, and the third was sent to the boys' home. Their sentences were concurrent with terms received in Nanaimo Police Court. They pleaded guilty to breaking and entering the home of Mrs. A. Mac, Quadra Street, and the Marconi Service Station, Saanich Road.

Hear the Birdman, Charles Bowman Hutchins illustrated lecture on flowers and birds of Canada, at the Metropolitan United Church, Friday, February 24, at 8 p.m.



TO SPEAK MONDAY—A. M. Crawley, B.A., Oxn, who will speak here Monday evening at 8 at the Memorial Hall, under the auspices of the National Council of Education.

SEMPLER PUPILS IN SPLENDID RECITAL

Violin Ensemble Playing Outstanding Feature of 56th Presentation

Well trained and musically talented pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Semple delighted a large audience of parents and friends in recital at the Victoria Truth Centre, Fort Street, last night.

It was the 56th time Mr. and Mrs. Semple had presented their pupils in recital since they opened their studio in Victoria in 1914. Some excellent work was seen. All pupils seemed imbued with the spirit of the occasion and showed they had been well trained and had practiced diligently for long hours.

The program opened with the piano duo, Keler Bela's "Lustspiel," played by Grace Lee and Mrs. Semple. Mrs. Semple and Ursula Hills opened the second half of the program with a Grieg composition. Betty McMillan and Terry Shaw, violinists, and Jean McMillan, pianist, gave a trio, Brandvill's "Reverie." Pearl and May Hope gave Mozart's "Ronda alla Turca" as a piano duet, and Ed Veach, Gwen Frotheroe and Philip Chan, violinists, and Ursula Hills at the piano, gave Ruegger's "Caprice Brilliant."

The ensemble work was very well done, outstanding being Franke's "Intermezzo Russe," which was played by Ed. Veach, Gwen Frotheroe, Vina Whyte, Elynn Anderson, Betty McMillan, Philip Chan, Terry Shaw, John Bong, E. Holt, and Ernest Semple, violins, with Ursula Hills at the piano. The same group, with Miss Hills and Evelyn Pepper at the piano, played Rossini's "Italians in Algiers."

The soloists were Malcolm Gardner, Jacqueline Line, Alan Buckle, Jean McMillan, Joan Cross, Mary Duncan, Jessie Kingscott, Thelma Whyte, Audrey Hoffman, Terry Shaw, May Hope, Jean Louie, Grace Lee, Betty McMillan, Etta Norman, John Bong, Georgina Worth, Philip Chan, Pearl Hope, Vina Whyte, Evelyn Pepper, Elynn Anderson, Ursula Hills and Ed. Veach.

Kiwanians Will Feature Dancers

Outstanding dance studios of Victoria are co-operating with the Kiwanis Club in preparing a first class show for the second edition of "Kiwanis Kapers," which appears at the Royal Theatre next Thursday evening.

The Florence Clough studio, Russian Ballet School, Carissima and the ballet group of the Beaux-Arts Society have all prepared a number of colorful dance presentations, the music for which will be furnished by the augmented Empress Hotel orchestra under the direction of W. F. Tickle, who is supervising the entire program.

Other items feature vocal and instrumental acts as well as comedy, and the club has been fortunate in prevailing upon Capt. Dobbsie, the well-known radio entertainer, to act as master of ceremonies. Seats are still available and tickets are in the hands of all Kiwanians.

'God's Hour' Will Be Continued

By popular demand CFCT continues its broadcasts of "God's Hour," a presentation of radio messages to British Columbia, Washington and Alberta, by Llewellyn A. Wilcox, D.D. Challenging and dynamic, earnest and appealing, multitudes have already been moved to acclaim them a "radio beam" of spiritual guidance amidst the darkness of bewilderment and doubt.

Dr. Wilcox is glad to reply either on the air or by personal correspondence, to any questions, to honor requests for prayer, and to acknowledge contributions.

OBITUARY

HICK—The funeral of George Hick will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 from Sands Mortuary, followed by interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

BLAIR—Funeral services for John James Blair will be conducted at 2 Monday afternoon in Sands Chapel. Rev. G. R. V. Bolster will officiate, and interment will be in the Colwood Burial Park.

BRAY—Funeral services for Richard Bray will take place from the Thomson Funeral Home tomorrow afternoon, at 2.30, under the auspices of Vancouver Quakers Lodge, No. 2 A.F. and A.M. Rev. J. L. W. McLean will conduct the service. Interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

LOWE—The funeral of Joseph Howard Lowe will be held tomorrow afternoon, the cortege leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 3.10, proceeding to St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, where services will be conducted by Rev. Frederic Pike at 3.30. Interment will be in the churchyard.

LAWSON—The funeral of Robert Lawson took place yesterday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. Daniel Walker officiating. The funeral was under the auspices of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F. Conducting the Odd Fellows' service in the chapel were A. McCabe, noble grand, and T. G. Harris, chaplain. The following were pallbearers: W. S. Dunlop, P. McDonald, L. R. Anderson, William H. Cullin, Fred Williams and William Potter. The remains were cremated at Royal Oak.

FULL PANEL FOR SPRING ASSIZES

Ballot Jurors Wednesday For Spring Assizes Opening March 13

In anticipation of a murder trial and addition to the present list of two or three other cases, officials at the Courthouse today made plans to ballot a full panel of jurors on Wednesday in preparation for the Spring Assizes opening here March 13 at 11.

To date three cases are definitely listed for jury trial. They included that of Joseph Martin, charged with breaking and entering at 2301 Douglas Street at the beginning of the year, three charges against Charles Lewis of retaining stolen goods, and the case of Roy Edward Bowcott, charged with breaking and entering and stealing from the Sidney liquor store on New Year's Eve.

In addition to those cases, indications pointed to a murder trial and possibly two or three statutory offence cases for which commitments have not yet been made.

LAND SALES UP

Land sales in Victoria during January show a pronounced gain over December of last year, but did not achieve the volume recorded in January, 1938, according to figures compiled today in the assessor-collector's department.

Actual sales last month amounted to \$76,087, against \$70,017 for December and \$113,650 for January of last year.

During January property to the value of \$58,160, changed hands through transfers, and to the value of \$18,745 through wills. During December the transfers were \$41,946 and will \$21,966. In January of last year the figures were \$84,317 and \$75,175, respectively.

Aggregate values of property changing ownership for the three periods were \$152,992 last month, \$133,929 last December and \$273,142 in January of 1938.

MORE ON RELIEF

The unemployment problem in British Columbia now consists of about 25,500 persons who could work, of whom 7,000 or 8,000 get seasonal jobs in the summer time.

This estimate was made today by provincial relief headquarters on the basis of returns for January, which show an increase of about 10 per cent from January of last year.

Actually the government in January kept 73,947 persons, but out of this number 44,575 were dependents. Another 5,952 are classified as unemployable persons who could not take jobs owing to physical ailments, age, or other reasons. This leaves 23,420 persons who draw relief because they cannot find work. Of this number 14,508 are heads of families, either men or women; 8,997 are single persons and 2,110 are men in forestry and public works camps.

There was the usual increase in relief rolls between December and January, amounting to about 6 per cent. The increase by comparison with last year is due to conditions, officials believe.

FREE SPEECH IN THEATRE URGED

Raymond Guyler Tells Authors' Club of Certain Revivals

"It is vitally important that we must fight for free speech in the theatre," declared Raymond Guyler, dramatic director of the Victoria Beaux-Arts Society, in an address, "Propaganda in the Theatre," at a meeting of the Victoria and Island Branch of the Canadian Authors' Association in the Empress Hotel last evening.

Mr. Guyler believed that a new era was about to dawn, and the theatre must interpret the change or it would die. The confusion of mind and the stress in which people lived, had brought about a renewed vitality in art, especially in the theatre.

In considering the question of what was meant by propaganda in a play, the speaker said the word propaganda did not have its original sinister meaning. If a writer was conscious of the evils in society and sought in his works to demand reform—that was propaganda.

The artist must be open-minded and impartial to all political, social and artistic movements if his work was to survive.

In answer to the question, "Should the artist take sides?" he declared that an artist should practice his art and his art must be related to the times in which he lived. If vitality must arise from the relation of the artist to the social and economic trend of his day, the "cinema" lacked vitality because it was afraid of being called propagandist, he said. As a result a movement had started for the revival of the theatre featuring plays bearing problems of the day. Another trend in modern plays was the revival of the classic Greek form and its adaptations to modern conditions and as an example Mr. Guyler quoted from T. S. Eliot's "Murder in the Cathedral."

Mrs. F. G. Berton, president, was in the chair. Vocal selections were presented by Mrs. Arthur Dowell. Mrs. Hermia Harris Fraser gave a craft talk on "The Indian Motive in Poetry, Prose and Art."

It was announced that Miss Anne Marriott had recently had one of her poems "The Wind, Our Enemy," published by an eastern firm and that Miss M. Eugenie Perry had been awarded first prize in the Young Liberals' Club play-writing contest with her entry, "The Right Hat."

MUCH FRUIT HERE FOR APPLE WEEK

Apple Week in Victoria starting tomorrow until March 4, is being prepared for at Wholesale Row with numerous carloads of Okanagan apples on hand, and several more due to arrive during the week.

Wholesale Row is working in co-operation with the B.C. Tree Fruit Board, with an object of tripling the consumption of apples during the week. The varieties of apples on hand are McIntosh Reds, Delicious, Rome Beauties and Spitzenburgs. All are of the fine quality.

A shipment of Florida green beans received today relieved a shortage that had been felt here for some time.

The market is reported to be advancing on various types of produce, according to officials. A shortage of large size oranges in California will tend to raise the prices on large sizes here, although the smaller sizes will remain at their present prices. Mexican tomato prices are also advancing in addition to Texas spinach now being received here. The Imperial Valley lettuce market is reported higher.

A new shipment of Jamaica grapefruit of good quality was received today. Prices on these are the lowest they have ever been here. California grapefruit prices are a little higher.

The Esquimalt Liberal Association will hold a card party in the Esquimalt Bowling Club hall Saturday at 8.30. Progressive and 500 will be played.

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Second race—Mile and a quarter: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Third race—One mile: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Fifth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Sixth race—Mile and an eighth: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Seventh race—One mile: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Eighth race—Two miles: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Ninth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Tenth race—Mile and a quarter: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Eleventh race—Mile and a sixteenth: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Twelfth race—Mile and a quarter: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Thirteenth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

Fourteenth race—Mile and a quarter: Belmont 112, Edna 113, Car 108, Ample Lady 109, Sentimental 104, Ebony Moon 103, Chorus 106, Rococo 110, In the Shade 105, Hollywood 102, Edna 104.

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Boats May Leave In Formation

Training Period of Fishermen's Reserve Ends Here Tomorrow

Whether or not the boats of the fishermen's reserve will leave port in formation at the conclusion of the training period tomorrow, will be decided, it is expected, following a conference held at the Esquimalt dockyard today between the skippers of the fleet and Capt. Victor G. Brodeur, senior naval officer.

Some of the skippers, it is understood, have expressed a desire to remain in Victoria for a short time in order to effect minor repairs to their boats and fit them out preparatory to the opening of the 1939 fishing season.

In any event, however, it is expected that the 40 boats manned by the 200 men will put out of Esquimalt harbor in line. The time tentatively set for the departure is at 2 tomorrow afternoon.

After that the skippers will be at liberty to do as they please. Twenty of the vessels are from Prince Rupert, and the same number from Vancouver and the west coast.

Tonight the men of the fishermen's reserve will be entertained at a smoker at the Naval Veterans' Branch, Canadian Legion, as guests of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Ships Damaged In Collision

Freighters Carolinian And San Clemente Crash at Golden Gate

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Two ships collided under the Golden Gate bridge early today and were damaged extensively. American-Hawaiian freighter Carolinian was reported taking water in her No. 5 hold, but was able to dock under its own power. The William Dimon Line freighter San Clemente's bow was crushed in 12 feet above the waterline. The vessel anchored off the Presidio.

The San Francisco took out 1,000 tons of wheat and 400 of canned salmon, box shooks, shingles and frozen fish. Her ports of delivery are Havre, Dunkirk, Bordeaux and Antwerp.

The next vessel in the French Line service will be the S. San Antonio, due for Vancouver March 9.

Stem repairs were carried out on the fishpacker Co-operative No. 2, owned by the Kyuquot Trollers' Association, at the Victoria Machinery Depot yesterday.

The vessel was released today. The little freighter Squid, owned by Capt. W. Fraser, is at the upper harbor plant getting boiler repairs.

At World Ports Sailed: Callao, Feb. 23, Santa Lucia, New York; Hongkong, Feb. 21, Empress of Canada, Vancouver; Bremen, Feb. 21, Este, Los Angeles; Kobe, Feb. 22, Asama Maru, San Francisco; Liverpool, Feb. 22, Salacia, San Francisco; New York, Feb. 23, Maine, Portland, Ore.

Arrivals: Buenos Aires, Feb. 21, Northern Prince, New York; South Hampton, New York; Thessaloniki, Feb. 17, Exchange, New York; Avonmouth, Feb. 22, Alioth, Vancouver; Capetown, Feb. 22, Hoppercorn, Los Angeles; Gothenburg, Feb. 20, Canada, San Francisco; Liverpool, Feb. 23, Tigre, San Francisco; London, Feb. 22, Washington Express, Portland, Ore.; Manila, Feb. 21, Tweedbank, San Francisco; Siamese Prince, San Francisco; New York, Feb. 23, Iowan, Los Angeles; Philadelphia, Feb. 23, Kentuckian, Seattle.

CANAL ZONE Panama Canal, Feb. 23—Passed bound east: Mobile City, San Francisco for Boston; Platano (Pan.), Santa Marta, for New York; Lewis Luckenbach, Seattle for New York; Wanona, San Francisco for New York; Lista (Nor.), Powell River, B.C., for Houston.

Passed bound west: Edda (Ital.), Antwerp for Los Angeles; Ormes, New Orleans for Los Angeles; Leontios Teryazos (Greek), New York for Kobe.

Arrived: Gulfport (Br.), Portland, Ore.

Freighter Brings Champion Horses HALIFAX (CP)—Bound for Canadian Government experimental farms and private farmers throughout the Dominion, 12 champion horses, six of them stallions, were aboard the freighter Delian when that vessel arrived here last night.

Windlaw Drilling, a Clydesdale, will go to Agassiz, B.C. government farm.

MAILS BRITISH Columbia, Feb. 23, 1939. Air mail closes 1:10 p.m., February 23.

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Other countries, Feb. 23, 1939. Air mail closes 1:10 p.m., February 23.

ASIA IS EXPECTED EARLY TOMORROW

With passengers, cargo and mails from the Orient, Ss. Empress of Asia will make quarantine at 5:30 tomorrow morning, according to the latest advice on the ship's position.

The Asia was 645 miles out from this port at 8 last night, Capt. George Gould reported to the Gonzales radio station.

Unless there is any change in the meantime the Canadian Pacific ship will be alongside Pier 2, Rithet docks, about 7 tomorrow morning.

Large Grain Cargo One of the largest grain cargoes ever moved from the Ogden Point elevator is being taken aboard by the Greek freighter Epaminondas E. Embricos, now at the outer harbor plant of the Gillespie Grain Company. The ship is taking between 7,000 and 7,500 tons of grain here for delivery in the United Kingdom.

The British freighter Appledore was expected today or tomorrow to take part grain cargo and lumber. The fact that the Greek ship is under the spouts, however, may change loading plans and the Appledore may first go to Vancouver.

Charlotte Needs Blades On her arrival here from Vancouver at 3:10 this afternoon, Ss. Princess Charlotte was temporarily withdrawn from the triangle run to get propeller blades changed in drydock. The four blades of the starboard propeller, which from time to time have been chipped by partly submerged logs, will be replaced. Yarrows Ltd. will do the work.

Ss. Princess Victoria, which left the Esquimalt drydock this morning, will relieve the Princess Charlotte, sailing from this port at 4:30 this afternoon for Seattle.

Princess Charlotte will resume her regular run, it is expected, tomorrow.

French Vessel Out Wheat and general comprised the B.C. cargo aboard the French Line Ss. San Francisco, which passed this port on her way out to sea from Vancouver during the night.

The San Francisco took out 1,000 tons of wheat and 400 of canned salmon, box shooks, shingles and frozen fish. Her ports of delivery are Havre, Dunkirk, Bordeaux and Antwerp.

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SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—San Francisco Bay shipping was thrown in a state of semi-paralysis today by a labor dispute between waterfront employers and dock workers.

Loading and unloading of most ships in San Francisco and Oakland was halted, picket lines appeared along the waterfront and a series of conferences was called between employer and labor groups to plot their next moves.

The tie-up spread from Encinal terminal in Oakland, where dock owners and ship's clerks have argued for a week over which of two contracts was in force.

The Dock Checkers Employers' Association refused today to hire any checkers or clerks at any San Francisco Bay Pier until a picket line on the Encinal terminal was abandoned and the men returned to work and arbitrated the dispute.

Absence of checkers prevented longshoremen from loading ship cargoes, except where lumber or bulk cargoes that do not need checkers were involved. The Waterfront Employers' Association reported longshoremen were refusing to work on docks even where checkers were not needed.

Germain Bulcke, president of the local C.I.O. International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Association, said gangs were being sent to all ships that could be worked.

Extent of the tie-up was not immediately determined. Both employers and waterfront workers agreed if it was not settled it would close down almost the entire port.

BELL TELEPHONE PLANS BOND ISSUE

MONTREAL (CP)—Canada has shown "splendid resistance" to adverse influences from abroad, President C. F. Sise told shareholders at the annual meeting here of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada Limited.

"The recession in the United States and the fall in raw material prices heralded a general decline in business activity everywhere. Fortunately, the past six months have witnessed some improvement," the president said.

The company's net result of operations in 1938 "must be regarded as satisfactory," Sise said, although the level of business was not as high as had been anticipated.

A by-law authorizing issuance of additional bonds to an aggregate principal amount of \$30,000,000 was approved.

Mr. Sise explained the new issue could be used to redeem the first mortgage 5 per cent "A" bonds, due March 1, 1935, "should it appear to the company's advantage to do so." The old issue may be redeemed at the option of the company March 1, 1940, at 105 per cent.

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Wheat

WINNIPEG (CP)—Wheat futures prices fluctuated narrowly in extremely dull trading at Winnipeg today. At the close values were unchanged to 1/2 cent lower, May at 62 1/2, July 62 1/2, and October 63 1/2.

Export business in Canadian wheat was placed at around 1,000,000 bushels, worked chiefly from the Pacific Coast.

The sale of another cargo of Australian wheat to Shanghai proved sufficient to boost Liverpool quotations 1/4 to 1/2. Chicago and Buenos Aires to 1/4. Chicago and Buenos Aires to 1/4.

Yesterday's country marketings totaled 98,000 bushels against 103,000 for the same day a year ago.

Lightest in cash wheat continuing while coarse grains pitting trading uncovered a small mill demand for oats.

Wheat clearances from Australian ports reached 2,368,000 bushels this week compared with 2,911,000 the previous week and 3,106,000 in 1938.

This week's Argentine wheat shipments aggregated 1,168,000 bushels, a substantial drop from last week's total of 3,275,000. The clearances for the corresponding seven-day period last year were 3,295,000 bushels.

(By H. A. Hunter Ltd.)
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE, with Major Hoople

OUT OUR WAY—

By Williams



Uncle Ray

Rock Caves and a Great Temple

In south-central India is a village known as Ajanta, and it is famed because more than two dozen "rock caves" were discovered near it in 1817. It has been learned that some of the caves were in use more than 2,000 years ago.

The caves were cut by men in the face of a steep cliff alongside a small river. They were made for a monastery school which for a monastery school which kept growing during a period of eight or nine centuries.



Picture of a king being anointed with oil, as it was painted on wall of one of the caves of Ajanta.

Some of the caves were dwellings for monks and students, and contain rooms about 20 feet wide and 35 feet long. Leading from the large rooms are smaller ones which were employed as sleeping chambers.

Other caves were meeting places for students and teachers. The walls of most of the caves are covered with paintings in several colors. These paintings give us a good idea of art work in ancient India.

Statues of the Buddha were found in the caves, and this proves that the school was run by Buddhists during much, if not all, of its history. Perhaps the school was closed because the people of India turned away from the Buddhist faith and back to the older Hindu religion.

At Ellora, in another part of south-central India, a tourist may see even more famous sights. Thirty-four large rock-caves were cut in the side of a hill. The caves seem to have been used as temples, five of them by Jains, 12 by Buddhists and 17 by Hindus.

Largest of all the works at this place is the mighty Kailash temple. It was made in honor of Siva, a Hindu god.

Of all the works of man, the Kailash temple stands out as one of the most amazing. It dates back 1,200 years, to the reign of King Krishna I. Before it could be produced, men had to cut down through solid granite. By slow, hard labor they hollowed out a great space, leaving a central mass of rock.

The mass of rock was later hewn into a temple, a work of beauty. On the outside it is 100 feet wide and 164 feet long.

The temple is 90 feet high, about the height of one of our eight-story office buildings. Much of the rock inside of the temple was cut away and rooms 17 feet high were formed. The inside walls were plastered over and painted.

In the great courtyard are ponds, obelisks and sphinxes. In some places where the temple was hollowed out, there are huge statues of elephants. These statues take the place of pillars; the heads of the elephants face the courtyards, and the elephants hold the ceiling on their backs!

HOROSCOPE

Saturday, February 25, 1939

Benefic aspects control the planetary influences for today, according to astrology. The week-end begins with fair promise for men and women.

In the morning, financial matters are under the best possible direction of the stars. It is a lucky day for doing business with banks or financial organizations.

Men who head corporations or who direct business policies should benefit while this rule prevails. Enterprises of great promise are forecast for the spring.

Although there is a sign not auspicious for the domination of minds over hearts, this is read as a lucky date for love affairs which will herald marriage.

Romances will flourish and will result in speedy engagements while this planetary government continues. Hasty weddings will be numerous.

Theaters and places of amusement should be popular this evening when there will be an urge toward recreation among persons of all ages.

The stars prognosticate discontent among workers in foreign countries which may rise to threatening heights and even to cause revolutions of far-reaching effect.

Anglo-American relations, which are to be even closer than they were in the autumn, may be

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"Him? Why, he's old enough to be your father!"

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—Do you think that a boy who really loves a girl would want her to become his mistress? I have been brought up with high standards of morality, yet when I definitely refused to lower myself this boy reprimanded me, called me old-fashioned, and now I have lost his attentions. Was I right in refusing to give him what he called "a proof of my love"?

Answer: I do not believe that any man who really loves a girl would ask her to do a thing that would degrade her in her own eyes, and in his eyes, if he intended to marry her.

No matter what liberal ideas as to conduct a man has about other women, he wants the one he marries and who is to be the mother of his children to be above reproach. He doesn't want damaged goods. He doesn't want a wife whose reputation has been dragged through the gutter and over whom men laugh and snicker and make coarse jokes when he goes out with her. As one man said to me not long ago: "I don't want to have to say our wife with half the men in the club."

Men seldom marry their mistresses, and there are several reasons for this. One is that love and romance rarely survive a liaison, which puts a greater strain upon them than even marriage does. After these are worn out and a man's passion is dulled there is nothing to hold him to the woman of whom he has grown tired. Another reason is because a wife with a past is a great handicap to her husband in business or the professions. So many promotions, so many big deals are the result of social contacts that it hampers a man's chances of success for him to be married to a woman from whom other women draw away their skirts.

When a man does marry his mistress, the marriage is seldom happy because he never trusts her. He always thinks that if she was weak enough to yield to him, she would yield to any other man. So you see how wise you are, even from a practical standpoint, to refuse to become the plaything of this selfish boy. Morally you are wise beyond all telling, for the one thing that is of most value to every woman is her own self-respect and the knowledge of her own integrity.

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



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| HORIZONTAL | ancient legend | 2 Rage. | word. |
| 1 Boy ruler of Yugoslavia. | 50 Soft fine down. | 3 Tennis fence. | 21 Transposed. |
| 9 His father was in France. | 52 Contended. | 4 African antelope. | 22 His land's unit of exchange. |
| 14 Goddess of peace. | 54 Image of a divinity. | 5 Blue. | 23 On. |
| 15 Eucharist vessel. | 55 Surgical machine. | 6 Rootstock. | 24 A very little. |
| 16 All gone. | 57 — rule in his stead. | 7 Turkish official. | 25 To plip. |
| 17 College honor book award. | 58 Capital of his land. | 8 Branches. | 26 The skull. |
| 18 Deputy. | 11 To mimic. | 9 Broken teeth. | 28 Opposite of a weather. |
| 19 Accumulating. | 12 Electrified particle. | 10 To saunter. | 29 Suture. |
| 22 Dump cart. | 13 Negative. | 11 To mimic. | 30 His mother, Queen Mother. |
| 26 Paroxysm. | | | 34 Wheel pad. |
| 31 Timber tree. | | | 35 Sincere. |
| 32 Olive shrub. | | | 36 Penny. |
| 33 Marked with spots. | | | 40 To bail. |
| 36 Audible. | | | 41 Eager. |
| 37 Inability to speak. | | | 42 Story. |
| 38 Fragrant oleosin. | | | 43 Twisting. |
| 39 Railroad. | | | 44 To erase. |
| 40 Downcast. | | | 45 Verbal. |
| 44 Foolish old person. | | | 47 Flare. |
| 49 Mythical. | | | 48 Action. |
| | | | 49 Title of courtesy. |
| | | | 51 Any flatfish. |
| | | | 53 Owed. |



responsible for an embarrassment to the government at Washington.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of happy experiences, many of which are produced by improved financial conditions. They should

make much of all opportunities to progress.

Children born on this day probably will be of strong character and independent spirit. Many of the subjects of Pisces have artistic gifts and through them reach fame.

Boots and Her Buddies



Bringing Up Father



Mr. and Mrs.



Alley Oop



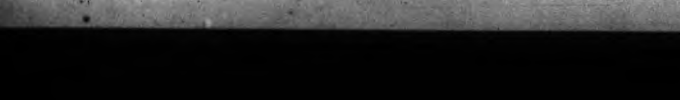
Freckles and His Friends



Pein Lanan — Court Reporter



The Strange Case Entitled "WOLD THAT WEDDING"



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By George McManus



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Trace New Disease To Wood Ticks

WASHINGTON—A new infectious disease caused by Rocky Mountain wood ticks has been discovered by Drs. Gordon E. Davis and Herald R. Cox, bacteriologists of the U.S. Public Health Service. The first recognized human case was that of a member of the staff of the U.S. National Institute of Health. Describing this case in the public health reports, Dr. R. E. Dyer of the federal health service suggests that the new and still unnamed ailment may be the same as "Q" fever, a disease that has been found in Australia, particularly among workers in abattoirs and among dairy farmers.

Gradual onset, mild fever with chills and recurrent sweating and "tender" finger joints are the symptoms reported from the single case of the new American ailment. The patient recovered in about one month. He contracted the ailment while observing research on it in the federal health service's Rocky Mountain spotted fever laboratory in Hamilton, Mont.

The ease with which the infection was picked up in the laboratory plus the fact that the infection occurs naturally in ticks suggests that there may have been other human cases and that the disease may even be widespread, although it has not been previously recognized.

The germ of the disease was discovered in ticks that were being examined for Rocky Mountain spotted fever. The new disease is not the same as Rocky Mountain spotted fever nor is it the same as Colorado tick fever. It can be given to guinea pigs, but no cases have as yet been observed occurring naturally in animals. Blood serum from one human patient protected guinea pigs from the infection.



SITTING ON LIFE-SAVING MATTRESS—Quick thinking and the mattress on which Lucille Roddam, seven, sits, saved her life and that of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alph Roddam of Pinson, Ala. When a windstorm struck the Roddam household on a recent midnight, Mr. Roddam covered himself, wife and child with the mattress as protection against falling objects. Photo shows wreckage of the house.

VIRUS MOLECULES EVOLUTION LINK

RICHMOND — Evolution of man and all lesser living things gains scope and takes on new grandeur by being traced far below the world of life to the very chemical elements themselves.

A new visualization presented by Prof. George A. Baisell of Yale's department of zoology to the American Association for the Advancement of Science meeting here bridges the gap between the living and the nonliving with recent new knowledge of gigantic chemical molecules of viruses that act as though they were alive.

The difference between the living and the nonliving is shown to be a matter of complexity. The same materials are used in both domains and they conform to the same elemental patterns. The natural world is fused so effectively that the procession of organic development flows uninterrupted from atom to man. There is no need to worry as to just when and at exactly what stage life was infused into the evolving stuff of the natural

world. In that ultra-Lilliputian borderland where the most powerful microscopes lose their sight, increasing complexity evolves into what has been labeled "life."

"From the simplest substance in the organic world to the most complex patterns of living substance there must be a graded series," Prof. Baisell told the scientists. "Should evolution begin at the level of the living organism? The union of hydrogen and oxygen to form carbon dioxide, the union of water and carbon dioxide to form sugar, the addition of other elements to the sugar molecule to form protein — were not all these stages in the evolutionary processes which have led to ever-increasing complexity, reaching their climax in the world of life?"

A new gum resin that does not crystallize has been produced by government chemists, by making it only from the liquid part of the gum.

The clouded leopard of southern Asia and the East Indies is so rare a specimen that only about 15 can be found in world museums.

NO NEED TO FEAR ATOMIC ENERGY

Cost of Releasing Too High to Affect World's Power Resources

By ROBERT D. POTTER

WASHINGTON — Scientists, who have now confirmed the discovery of how to release enormous stores of energy bound within uranium atoms, are fearful lest the public become worried about a "revolution" in civilization as a result of their researches.

They fear that there may be forecasts of the near possibility of running giant ocean liners across the Atlantic on the energy contained within the atoms of a glass of water. Or of using "atom-motors" as energy sources instead of steam and hydro-electric plants. Or the suggested possibility that the atomic energy may be used as some super-explosive, or as a military weapon.

Scientists who have exploded uranium and released its tremendous supply of atomic energy explain that the present research is comparable with experiments



LONDON DIGS IN AGAIN—"War in the Spring" is rumored in Europe. Workmen rush to completion concrete bomb-proof trenches near Buckingham Palace in London.

a few years ago, on the transmutation of the elements.

For centuries, alchemists had dreamed of transmuting base metals into gold. Enormous wealth—it was imagined—would be at hand for the discoverer of transmutation. Dire forecasts of the effects of transmutation's discovery, picturing a revolution in the world's financial pattern, were made.

COST TOO HIGH

Well, transmutation of the elements has now been achieved for everyone of the 92 known chemical elements, except two. Yet there has been no revolution in the money markets of the world as a result. It has only become increasingly clear how infinitely difficult it would be to produce enough transmutation, in any element, to fill the scales of a tiny chemical balance. Transmutation's biggest result has been only the wonderful intellectual spurt which it has provided for physical discovery.

In quite the same way, the dream of releasing large amounts of energy locked inside atoms has been in the minds of men

for many years. It is highly probable that the current realization of this dream will have no more effect on the power resources of the world than has the discovery of transmutation on the world's financial exchanges.

It takes only a quick calculation to show that even in the most favorable case it requires expenditure of about 3,000,000,000 electron volts of energy to release 200,000,000 electron volts of energy from a uranium atom.

This optimum case is based on the assumption that the 3,000,000,000 volts of energy will create one neutron which can slip into a uranium atom and release 200,000,000 volts of energy. In actual fact, neutrons are so easily absorbed by all atomic nuclei that many of the neutrons produced (each at the cost of 3,000,000,000 volts energy) will only go into atoms other than uranium.

Thus the process is only a little over 6 per cent efficient for the most favorable case and, in reality, is much less efficient on the average.

Finally, scientists point out, the release of atomic energy from

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uranium need arouse few fears about explosions in nature set off by these physical researches. The very heavy elements in which such an energy release can be secured occur only in very small amounts in the earth's crust and they are greatly contaminated with other elements which do not yield atomic energy. This means that the release of

atomic energy can only be achieved by direct intent, in the laboratory, and then only with considerable ingenuity of experiment.

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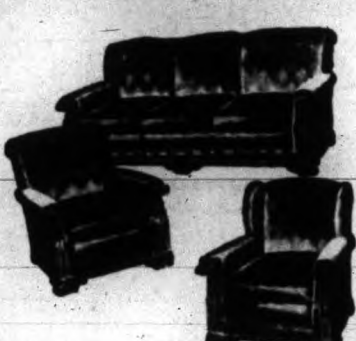
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